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## PREFACE

THIS Catalogue of the Literary Papyri in the British Museum, the scope of which is more closely defined in the Introduction, follows similar lines to Sir Frederic Kenyon's *Classical Texts from Papyri* (1891), but is not precisely a continuation of that work, since the papyri described there and in other publications are again included (no longer of course as *inedita*) in the present volume, with such additional bibliography as seems useful. The catalogue is the work of Mr. H. J. M. Milne, Assistant-Keeper in the Department of Manuscripts, under the supervision of Mr. H. I. Bell, who has contributed a few of the descriptions himself. The proofs have been read also by Sir Frederic Kenyon and myself. Special thanks are, however, due for generous assistance from outside the Museum, in the first place to Prof. Crönert, from whose acute and scholarly suggestions, too numerous in some cases to be acknowledged in detail, the new texts in particular have greatly profited. Prof. Hunt has also placed his wide experience at the editor's disposal. On the technical side Mr. C. T. Lamacraft, Repairer to the Department, has contributed great skill in the proper mounting of the papyri, and his aid has been particularly effective in the recent brilliant reconstruction by Mr. A. D. Knox of the Herodas and Cercidas texts. For permission to include certain objects thanks are due to the Keepers of the Egyptian and Oriental Departments. Lastly, the work of the Clarendon Press deserves a special commendation.

JULIUS P. GILSON.



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## INTRODUCTION

THE present volume provides a description of all the Greek and Latin literary fragments from Egypt in the Department of MSS. and other Departments of the British Museum. The term 'papyri' in the title is extended to cover vellum, waxed tablets, and ostraka, and 'literary' in the sense used is deemed to include practically everything of a non-documentary nature, even medical receipts. On the other hand private letters, mathematical problems, and metrological calculations have been excluded, while magic is restricted to texts used as amulets. (Other magical pieces will appear in Preisendanz's new *Corpus of Magical Papyri*.) The material falls into two unequal categories, published and unpublished. In the former case, which applies to the bulk of the collection, it has seemed sufficient to summarize the standard descriptions, when adequate, and bring them up to date by recording at least the latest edition or most comprehensive treatment of the text. Occasionally, however, as with some of the Petrie Papyri, the text itself has been reprinted when the number or importance of new readings seemed to justify that course. Papyri published up to 1897 have been equated with the fully equipped list compiled by C. Haeberlin in *Centralblatt für Bibliothekswesen*, vol. xiv, and all Greek non-Christian papyri published up to 1923 are provided with the hand-list number assigned to them in C. H. Oldfather's *Greek Literary Texts from Greco-Roman Egypt*, pp. 4-61.

In the case of new items, forming a relatively small proportion of the whole, the texts have been transcribed and edited with the minimum of restoration and with brief introductions from which all mere speculation has been banished. Unfortunately, it often happens that the interest of a text varies inversely to its completeness. The columns of rhetoric (No. 138) or the lengthy Homer (No. 6) might cheerfully be sacrificed for more of Archilochus, Semonides, or Parthenius, or even the grammars assigned to Phrynichus and Palaemon. Misfortune of

another kind has overtaken the strange semi-ritualistic lament (No. 51) and the Sophistic discourses (No. 193), where scribal illiteracy has added to the other difficulties of interpretation. For once, however, in the extremely illegible scholia on Callimachus (No. 181), an extraordinary coincidence has shed a flood of light. Perhaps as the most positive gain for pure literature must be reckoned the Alexandrian dramatic lyric (No. 52), while at the other end of the scale stand the lucubrations of Dioscorus of Aphroditopolis with whom the classical tradition in Egypt reaches its final bankruptcy. A list of new items will be found in the general index.

Occasional departures have been made from the general arrangement, e. g. prose pieces are included among the poems of Dioscorus and a prose argument among the dramas of Euripides. Indeterminate Christian texts are collected in one place, while belated and overlooked material is gathered together in the Appendix. Vocabularies of significant words have been supplied to the new publications, incorporating also new readings printed in the descriptions of previously known pieces. Students when inquiring for papyri should be careful to state the Inventory Number, prefaced by the word 'Pap.', and not the serial number in the present catalogue.

H. J. M. M.

## METHOD OF PUBLICATION AND LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

The following rules in general have been observed throughout this volume. New texts, save for a few exceptions, are given in modern form with accents, &c., and scribal details are recorded in the critical notes. Occasionally a very illiterate text has been left with its orthographic mistakes, which are explained when necessary. Familiar texts are reproduced exactly as they stand. Angular brackets < > represent letters omitted in the original but supplied by the editor, square brackets [ ] those lost in the original and restored by the editor, round brackets ( ) the resolution of a symbol or abbreviation, braces { } superfluous letters in the original, double square brackets [ [ ] ] a deletion in the original, the signs ^ additions in the original. Dots are placed under letters which in the MSS. are doubtful or very imperfect; dots between square brackets indicate the estimated number of letters lost in a lacuna, dots outside brackets letters visible but unread.

The following are among the less obvious abbreviations:—

- Allen = Homeri Opera (Oxford): *Iliad* by D. B. Monro and T. W. Allen, 3rd ed.;  
*Odyssey* by T. W. Allen, 2nd ed.
- Archiv* = *Archiv für Papyrusforschung*.
- Berl. Kl. Texte* = *Berliner Klassikertexte aus den staatlichen Museen zu Berlin*, 1904, &c.
- Berl(iner) Phil(ologische) Woch(enschrift)*.
- Boll(ettino di) Fil(ologia) Class(ica)*, Turin.
- Bolling, *External Evidence* = W. M. Bolling, *The External Evidence for Interpolation in Homer*, Oxford, 1925.
- Cat. of Anc. MSS.* = *Catalogue of Ancient Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part i, Greek, 1881.
- Classical Texts* = F. G. Kenyon, *Classical Texts from Papyri in the British Museum*, 1891.
- Crum = W. E. Crum, *Catalogue of the Coptic Manuscripts in the British Museum*, London, 1905.
- Demiańczuk = J. Demiańczuk, *Supplementum Comicum*, in *Rozprawy Akademii Umiejętności*, Wydział Filologiczny, Serya iii, tom vi, pp. 205–362. Cracow, 1913.
- Diehl = E. Diehl, *Anthologia Lyrica*, Teubner, 1922, &c.
- , *Supplementum Lyricum* (No. 33–34 of *Kleine Texte für Vorlesungen und Übungen*, 3rd ed., Bonn, 1917).
- Fr. Hist. Graec.* = C. Müller, *Fragmenta Historicorum Graecorum*, Paris, 1841, &c.
- G.G.A. or Gött. Gel. Anz.* = *Göttingische gelehrte Anzeigen*.

Gött. Nachr. = *Nachrichten von der Königlichen Gesellschaft der Wissenschaften zu Göttingen*.

Greek Papyri = *Greek Papyri in the British Museum*, 1893, &c.

Gregory = C. R. Gregory, *Die griechischen Handschriften des Neuen Testaments*, Leipzig, 1908.

Haeberlin = C. Haeberlin, *Griechische Papyri in Centralblatt für Bibliothekswesen*, xiv, 1897.

[A. S.] Hunt, *Trag(orum) Graec(orum) Frag(menta) Pap(yracea nuper reperta)*, Oxford, 1912.

Jacoby, *F.G.H.* = F. Jacoby, *Die Fragmente der Griechischen Historiker*, Berlin, 1923, &c.

[C.] Jander, *Orat(orum) et rhet(orum) Graec(orum) frag(menta nuper reperta)*. No. 118 of *Kleine Texte für Vorlesungen und Übungen*, Bonn, 1913.

Kaibel = G. Kaibel, *Comicorum Graecorum Fragmenta*, Berlin, 1919, &c. (Vol. vi of *Poetarum Graecorum Fragmenta*).

Kenyon, *Palaeography* = F. G. Kenyon, *The Palaeography of Greek Papyri*, Oxford, 1899.

*Lit. Centralbl.* = *Literarisches Centralblatt für Deutschland*, Leipzig.

*Neue Jahrb(ücher) f(ür das) kl(assische) Alt(erthum)*, Leipzig.

*New Chapters* = *New Chapters in the History of Greek Literature*, ed. by J. U. Powell and E. A. Barber, Oxford, 1921.

*New Pal. Soc.* = The New Palaeographical Society, *Facsimiles of Ancient Manuscripts*, &c., London, 1903, &c.

Oldfather = C. H. Oldfather, *The Greek Literary Texts from Greco-Roman Egypt* (No. 9 of *University of Wisconsin Studies*, 1923).

*Pal. Soc.* = The Palaeographical Society, *Facsimiles of Manuscripts and Inscriptions*, Series i-ii, London, 1873-1894.

P. Amh. = B. P. Grenfell and A. S. Hunt, *The Amherst Papyri*, Part i, London, 1900.

P. Cairo Masp. = *Catalogue général des Antiquités Égyptiennes du Musée du Caire*: J. Maspero, *Papyrus grecs d'époque byzantine*, Le Caire, 1911-1916.

P. Fay. = B. P. Grenfell, A. S. Hunt, and D. G. Hogarth, *Fayûm Towns and their Papyri*, London, 1900.

P. Giss. = E. Kornemann and Paul M. Meyer, *Griechische Papyri im Museum des oberhessischen Geschichtsvereins zu Giessen*, vol. i, 1910-1912.

P. Grenf. = B. P. Grenfell and A. S. Hunt, *Greek Papyri*, Series i-ii, Oxford, 1896, 1897.

P. Hib. = B. P. Grenfell and A. S. Hunt, *The Hibeh Papyri*, Part i, London, 1906.

P. Lond. = *Greek Papyri in the British Museum*, 1893, &c.

P. Oxy. = B. P. Grenfell and A. S. Hunt, *The Oxyrhynchus Papyri*, 1898, &c.

P. Petrie = J. P. Mahaffy, *The Flinders Petrie Papyri*, Parts i and ii, Dublin, 1891, 1893.

P. Ryl. = *Catalogue of the Greek Papyri in the John Rylands Library, Manchester*, vol. i, ed. by A. S. Hunt, Manchester, 1911.

*Philolog(ische) Wochenschr(ift)*. See *Berl(iner) Phil(ologische) Woch(enschrift)*.

[I. U.] Powell, *Coll(ectanea) Alexandrina*, Oxford, 1925.

*Rev. de Phil.* = *Revue de Philologie, de Littérature, et d'Histoire anciennes*, Paris.

- Rh. Mus.* or *Rhein. Mus.* = *Rheinisches Museum für Philologie, Geschichte und griechische Philosophie*, Bonn.
- Riv. di Filologia* = *Rivista di Filologia e d' Istruzione Classica*, Turin.
- [Otto] Schroeder, *Nov(ae) Com(ediae) Frag(menta in papyris reperta, exceptis Menandreis)*:  
No. 135 of *Kleine Texte für Vorlesungen und Übungen*, Bonn, 1915.
- Sitzb. Berl. Ak.* = *Sitzungsberichte der preussischen Akademie der Wissenschaften zu Berlin*.
- Sitzb. Mün. Ak.* = *Sitzungsberichte der königlich-bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften zu München*.
- Sitzb. Wien. Ak.* = *Sitzungsberichte der Kaiserlichen Akademie der Wissenschaften in Wien*.
- Suppl. Euripid.* = H. v. Arnim, *Supplementum Euripideum* (No. 112 of *Kleine Texte für Vorlesungen und Übungen*, Bonn, 1913).
- Thompson, *Palaeography* = Sir E. M. Thompson, *An Introduction to Greek and Latin Palaeography*, Oxford, 1912.



## ADDENDA

No. 11, colophon, read δεξιᾷ. Revised readings and interpretation will be found in *Classical Review* (1927), p. 60.

No. 49. Read P. Grenf. ii. 8 (a).

No. 52. The following translation, based on the latest readings, is offered in accordance with Crönert's arrangements, but other distributions are possible. Cr. thinks the mime actually began with the present first line :

Girl. [Raise up] your forms, mad women,  
And do not insult my feelings.  
Why have you cast yourself about my ankles?  
Do you entreat me, sister of strange speech?

5 Is it as suppliant, nurse, yes?, you have fallen before me?  
My loving sister, my providence, you refrain from speech?  
I am tortured, I am on the rack.  
Such a [            ] have I perceived.

Sister. Yes, and you beat your brow  
10 And rend your locks.  
Now have I learned truly  
That no more do you desire  
To inquire or tell me anything.  
It was for you to have besought me  
15 And where I had power to act  
To have commanded me absolutely.

Lover. Put off lament and tell me, maid,        are you in love?  
Declare, lass, openly your pain,        and have no fear of me.  
If 'tis a god possesses your heart,        you do no wrong.  
20 And we have no ferocious father,        calm your thoughts.  
And your young lover is fair perchance,        and you too are fair.

1. 1. ἐπεγέλρετε? Cr. proposes τί συν]ήρατε = why have you clasped bodies? 8. No satisfactory suggestion for the lacuna has presented itself. At the end 1. αἰσθημένη?  
13. 1. μετελθοῦσα, Cr. 17. This might also be the nurse or the father speaking, cf. ἔχομεν read by Cr. in 20. On the other hand ἐπικωμάζει in 22 may well be a comment on these lines. 1. μή τινα, Cr.

Nurse. He roams the streets and carouses,  
 Desirous of vulgar loves,  
 And himself in his youthful prime to the wakeful  
 25 Pipe he sings unlawful songs.  
 And thus passed ever youth's brief brief day.  
 Girl. What's that I hear, father?  
 A different [                      ]  
 Once at the wakes  
 30 [                      ] in the procession.

22. Perhaps the father speaks, cf. *πάτερ* in the girl's reply. There is a metrical mark after *μεθύει*. 25. Cr. suggests *ἀμαλαλογεῖ* = balbutit. Perhaps *ἄνομα λέγει*? *ἄνομα* seems fairly certain. 26. l. *καὶ τοῦτο νέφ βραχύτατον ἦν*, Cr. 27. l. *τ[ί] χρ[ὴ]μα*, *τ[ί] σ[τ]ῆμα*, or *τ[ὸ] νόσ]ημα*, Cr., who now decides on the last. 28, 29. l. *τι[ν'] ἐρασ]τήν, πρότερον?* Cr. suggests *φιλ[ον οἴκοθεν] εἶναι, ἕτερον*. 30. [*καὶ γὰρ μ' ἐθεῶ*]το κατελθών, Cr. *κατελθών* = at the *κάθοδος* or ritual procession.

No. 53. The situation on the recto, as interpreted by Crönert, involves an imaginary war between fierce enemies and the pleasure-loving Ionians [*ἐγκείμενοι κλίναισιν ἀβρὸν*] *εἰς ἔω τείναν δέμας*. The theme on the verso is similar. Insatiable Eris shakes the earth with battle and causes many woes. The whole poem (or are we dealing here with an anthology, as Cr. holds?) is cast in form of a dream, which is really the author's device for delivering a political address (cf. the *Somnium Scipionis*). Callimachus and Herodas, to name no others, adopt the same method of expressing their views.

Recto, 1. l. *ἔγνων δη[ί]ο]υς το[ ]?* Verso, 5. l. *ἀλλ' [οἴο]ς ἀῆρ εἰς?* 6. l. [*ἐβο*]ν-  
*λεύσαντο?* 10. [*ρον*] belongs to the previous line.

No. 110. Now edited for the Teubner series by E. Kalinka, 1927.

## A. POETRY

### I. EPIC

#### 1. *Iliad*, Book I.

Inv. No. 129 (verso). Second century. (On the recto are remains of accounts.) Acquired in 1889. Three small fragments, the largest 15 cm. × 11 cm. Remains of three columns. Intercolumnar margins of varying width. About 35 lines to a column, but no line complete. Written across the fibres. The papyrus is much frayed at the foot. Small unornamental uncial hand. The middle stop is used at the end of the line. *Classical Texts*, p. 80; Haeberlin 1; Oldfather 441.

*Iliad* I. 37-54 with first letters of 72-79; 62-67; 207-229.

#### 2. *Iliad*, Book I.

Inv. No. 272. Second century. Acquired in 1893. 10 cm. × 3.8 cm. From the top of a column. Middle part (about 10 letters) of 22 lines. Written along the fibres. Good small square uncial hand. No accents or breathings. Initial ι. Haeberlin 3; Oldfather 448.

*Iliad* I. 129-150. 137 δωησιν; 145 Ειδόμενευς.

#### 3. *Iliad*, Book I.

Inv. No. 1862 A. Second century. Registered in 1910. 2.4 cm. × 6.3 cm. Scrap containing the middle part of 4 lines. Written along the fibres. Large square somewhat heavy uncial hand.

*Iliad* I. 608-611.

#### 4. *Iliad*, Book II.

Inv. No. 1534. Late first century B.C. Acquired in 1906. 7.3 cm. × 5.1 cm. From the bottom of a column. Middle part of 9 lines. Written along the fibres. Rather large rounded uncial hand, without lectional marks. P. Oxy. iv. 686, with plate; Oldfather 470;  $\text{p}^{29}$  in Allen.

*Iliad* II. 50-58.

5. *Iliad*, Books II-IV.

Inv. No. 126. Third century (see Kenyon, *Palaeography*, p. 105 f.). Acquired in 1888. Discovered in 1854 by A. C. Harris in the 'Crocodile Pit' at Ma'abdeh whence he had previously obtained Pap. 107 (No. 25 below). Nine sheets, each 29.5 cm. x 26 cm., from a codex. When folded (verso outwards) formed 18 leaves of a single quire. Holes for the binding strings still remain. Written in single columns on one side of the leaf. Dimension of columns 25.5 cm. x 12.5 cm. The number of lines is recorded at the foot of each page. Lines omitted are written in at the top or foot of the page. On the back of the last three leaves (reversed) are the remains of *Τρύφωνος τέχνη γραμματική*, and on the fifth last leaf (reversed) remains of accounts. The papyrus is stained a deep brown and is in places difficult to decipher. Owing to the edges being rubbed the last letters of many lines are lost. Rather coarse square sloping uncial hand, the last column in a lighter and more irregular hand. Profuse accents, breathings, elision and punctuation marks. Two oblique lines in the margin denote the beginning of a speech or some other break in the narrative. The original text was full of blunders, but many have been corrected. The Catalogue of Ships is omitted from Bk. II, although the invocation is given. *Classical Texts*, p. 81, with plate; Haeblerlin 5; Oldfather 473;  $\text{p}^3$  in Allen.

*Iliad* II. 101-IV. 40. (The first lines on the front and back of the various sheets are as follows:—(1) II. 101, IV. 1; (2) II. 150, III. 418; (3) II. 199, III. 368; (4) II. 248, III. 318; (5) II. 305, III. 263; (6) II. 355, III. 211; (7) II. 406, III. 160; (8) II. 458, III. 111; (9) III. 1, III. 55.)

6. *Iliad*, Book II.

Inv. No. 1873. First century. (On the verso is a document of Domitian's reign.) Acquired in 1911. Provenance unknown but accompanying papyri from the Fayum. The foot of the roll has disappeared with several verses from each column. Present height of roll 23.5 cm. Column 19 cm. x 18 cm.; *κολλήματα* 16.5 cm. Originally 35 lines to a column. Written along the fibres. Large rounded irregular uncial hand. No accents or breathings. A stop, middle rather than high, is used at the end of the line. The text abounds with unintelligent mistakes. The symbol  $\Pi$  (= *ποιητής*) appears against ll. 419 and 441, and the names of speakers in cursive opposite ll. 227, 284, and 337. Stichometrical signs occur, when preserved, at each hundred lines and (no longer intact) at the end.  $\bar{\Delta}$  occurs opposite l. 419, implying either a minus text or, more likely, accidental

omissions. On the verso, besides the document referred to and a possible stichometrical note, are written l. 1 and the beginning of l. 2 of the *Iliad*, with other jottings. Partly collated as p<sup>104</sup> in Allen, *The Homeric Catalogue of Ships* (1921), with which text the collation below is made. Facsimile of ll. 630-660 and of title in *New Pal. Soc.* ii. 53.

*Iliad* II. 251-875. Followed by a prose introduction to the *Iliad*.

Pap. 1873 (1).

II. II. 251 [και σφιν ονειδεα τε προφεροις νοστον τε] φυλασσοις Col. i  
[ουδε τι πω σαφα ιδμεν οπως εσται ταδε εργα]  
[η ευ ηε κακως νοστησομεν υιες Αχαιων]  
[τω νυν Ατρειδη Αγαμεμνονι ποιμενι λαω]ν

Rest of col. and beginning of col. ii lost.

267 [σμωνδιξ δ αιματοεσσα μεταφρε]νον [εξυπανεστη] Col. ii  
[σκηπτρου υπο χρυσεον ο δ αρ εξ]ετο [ταρβησεν τε]  
[αλγησας δ αχρειον ιδων απο]μ[ο]ξ[ατο δακρυ]

270 [οι δε και αχυνμενοι περ επ αυτω η]δν γ[ελασσαν]  
[ωδε δε τις ειπεσκεν ιδων ες] πλη[σιον αλλον]

τ[ις] των Αχαιων  
επαινω(ν) Οδυσσεα

ω προπ[ρ]ι η δη [μυρι Οδυσσευς ε]σθλ[α εοργε]  
βουλας τ εξ[αρχων αγαθας πολ]εμο[ν τε κορυσσων]  
νυν δε τοδ[ε μεγ αριστον εν Αρ]γ[ειοισιν ερεξεν]  
275 ος τ[ο]ν λωβ[ητηρα επεσβολον εσχ αγοραων]  
ου θ[η]ν μιν παλιν αυτισ ανησει θυμος αγηνωρ]  
νικ[ει]ειν βασιλ[η]ας ονειδειοις επεεσσιν]  
ωσ [φασαν η πληθυσ ανα δ ο πτολιπορθος Οδυσσευς]  
εστ[η] σκηπτρον εχων παρα δε γλαυκωπις Αθηνη]

280 ειδ[ο]μενη κηρυκι σιωπαν λαον ανωγει]  
[ωσ] αμα [θ οι πρωτοι τε και νστατοι υιες Αχαιων]  
μυθ[ο]ν α[κουσειαν και επιφρασσαιατο βουλην]

Οδυσσευς

πρ(ο)ς Αγαμεμ(νονα)

ο σφιν ευφ[ρονεων αγορησατο και μετεειπεν]  
[Α]τρειδη ν[υν] δη σε αναξ εθελουσιν Αχαιοι]

Rest of col. and beginning of col. iii lost.

296 [ενθαδε μιμνοντεσσι τω] ου νε[μεσιζομ Αχαι]ους Col. iii  
[ασχαλαα[ν] παρα νηυσι κ]ορωνι[σιν αλλα και εμπ]ης  
[αισχρον τοι δηρον τε] μενειν κενεον τε νεεσθαι.

269. l. απομόρξατο.

[τλητε φιλοι και μει]νατε επιχθονον οφρα δαωμεν  
 300 [η ετεον Καλχας μα]ντευετε ηε και ουκι  
 [ευ γαρ δη τοδε ιδμ]εν ενι φρεσιν εστε δε παντες  
 [μαρτυροι ους μη κηρες εβαν θανα]τοιο φερονται  
 [χθιζα τε και πρωιζ οτ ες Αυλιδα] νηες Αχαιων  
 [ηγερεθοντο κακα Πριαμωι και Τρωσι] φερονται  
 305 [ημεις δ αμφι περι κρηνην ιερο]υς κατα βωμου[ς]  
 [ερδομεν αθανatoiσι τεληεσ]σας εκατομβας  
 [καληι υπο πλατανιστωι οθεν ρ]ξεν αγλαον υδω[ρ]  
 [ενθ εφανη μεγα σημα δρακων επι] νωτα δαφοι[νος]  
 [σμερδαλεος τον ρ αυτος Ολυμπιο]ς ηξε φοωσ[δε]

II. II. 331 [αλλ αγε μι]μνετε παντες ευκνημειδες Α[χαι]οι Col. iv  
 [αυτου εις] ο κεν αστυ μεγα Πριαμοιο ελω[μ]εν  
 [ως εφат Αργ]ειοι δε μεγ ειαχον αμφι δε ν[η]ε[ς]  
 [σμερδαλε]ον κοναβησαν α[ν]σαντων [ν]π Αχαιων  
 335 [μυθον επ]αινησαντες Οδυσ[σ]ηος θειοιο  
 [τοιισι δε μ]υθωρ ηρχε Γερηνιος ιπποτα Νεστωρ  
 [ω ποποι η]δη παισιν εοικότες αγορασθε  
 [πρ[ο(s)]τ[ο(us)] Αχαι[ο(us)] ν[η]πιαχοις] οισ ου τι μελει πολεμια εργα  
 π[η] δη συν]θεσiai τε και ορκια βησεται ημειν  
 340 ε[ν] πυρι δη βο]υλαι τε γενοι[α]το μηδεα τ ανδρων  
 σ[πονδαι τ] ακρητοι και [δεξια]ι ης επεπιθμεν  
 α[ντως γα]ρ επεεσσ εριδα[ινομ]εν ου[δ]ε τι μ[η]χος  
 [ευρεμε]ναι δυναμεσ[θα πολυν χρον]ον ε[ν]θαδ εοντες  
 [Ατρειδη συ] δ εθ ως πρ[ιν] εχων αστεμφεα βουλην  
 345 [αρχευ Αργειοισιν] ανα κ[ρατερας υσμινας]

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II. II. 364 [ε]ι δε κεν ως ερξ[η]ις και τοι πειθονται Αχαι[ιοι] Col. v  
 [γ]νωσ[η]ι επειθ ος θ ηγεμονων κακος ος τε [ν]υ λαων  
 [η]δ ος κ εσθλος ενεισι κατα σφεας γαρ μαχεο[νται]

299. l. ἐπὶ χρόνον. 300. l. μαντεύεται. 336. l. μύθων. MSS. καὶ μετέειπε.  
 345. So p<sup>38</sup> and Plutarch, *Vit. Hom.* 2. 57. MSS. κατά. 366. l. ἐήισι.

- [γ]νωσσαι δ εἰ καὶ θεσπεσίη πόλιν οὐκ ἀλα[παξεί]ς  
 ἡ ἀνδρῶν κακοτήτι καὶ ἀφραδίῃ πολεμοῖο  
 τὸν δ ἀπαμειβόμενος προσέφη κρείων Ἀγαμέμνων·  
 370 ἦ μαν αὐτ ἀγορήι νεικάς γερον νίας Ἀχαιῶν]  
 αἰ γάρ Ζεῦ τε πατέρ καὶ Ἀθη[ν]αίῃ καὶ Ἀπολλο[ν]  
 τοῖοντοὶ δέκα μοι συμφ[ρ]αδμόνες εἰ[ν] Ἀχαιῶν]  
 [τ]ῷ κε ταχ ἡμυσεῖ πολ[ι]ς Πρίαμοιο ἀν[α]κτος  
 [χ]ερσὶν ὑφ ἡμέ[τ]ερησι[ν] ἀλ[ο]ύσα τὰ περθο[μένη] τε  
 375 ἀλλὰ μοι αἰ[γιοχός] Κρο[νίδης] Ζεύς ἀλ[γ]ε εἶδ[ε]κεν  
 ὅς με μετ ἀ[π]ρηκτοὺς ἐρίδας καὶ νεικεὰ βαλλέ[ι]  
 [καὶ γ]ὰρ ἐγὼ[ν] Ἀχιλεὺς τε μαχεσσάμεθ εἰνέ[κ]α κούρης  
 [αν]τιβίο[ις] ἐπέεσσιν ἐγὼ δ ἤρχον χαλεπαίνων·  
 εἰ δέ [ποτ] ἐς γέ μιν βουλευσο[μένη] οὐκ[ε]τ ἐπ[ε]ῖτα  
 380 Τρωτ[ιν] ἀναβλήσις κακοῦ ἐσ[σ]εται οὐδ ἡ[β]αίον·  
 νῦν δ ἐρχεσθ ἐπὶ δειπν[ον] ἵνα ξυναγώ[μεν] Ἀρηά·  
 εὐ μ[ε]ν τις δορυ θηξά[σθω]· εὐ δ ἀσπίδα θεσ[θω]·  
 εὐ δέ τις ἱπποισιν δειπν[ον] δότω ὡκ[υποδεσσι]ν·  
 εὐ δέ τις ἄρμα[τος] ἀμφ[ι]ς ἰδὼν πολέμοιο μεδέ[σθω]  
 385 ὥς κε πανημέριοι σ[τ]υγερῶι κρινώ[μεθ] Ἀρηί]  
 οὐ γὰρ πανσώλ[η] γέ[ν]ε μετεσσεται οὐδ ἡβαιοῖν]  
 εἰ μὴ νυξ ἐλθού[σα] δι[α]κρινεῖ μένος [ἀνδρῶν]·  
 ἰδρῶσει μὲν τέ[ν] τελέ[α]μων ἀμφὶ στήθεσφι[ν]  
 ἀσπίδος ἀμ[φιβροτ]ῆς· περὶ δ ἐγχεί[ρ]α καί[μ]εται·  
 390 [ι]δρῶσει δέ [τεν] ἱππο[ς] εὐτροχόν [ἄρμα τιταίν]ων·  
 [ο]ν δέ κ [ἐγὼν] ἀπανε[ν]θε μάχη[ς] ἐθέλοντα νοήσ[ω]  
 [μιμ]να[ζειν] παρὰ νη[ν]σι κορων[ισιν] οὐ οἱ ἐπ[ε]ῖτα  
 [ἀρκ]ι[ο]ν ἐσσεῖται φ[ύ]γεειν κ[υ]νας ἡδ οἰωνούς]  
 [ὥς] ἐφάτ Ἀργεῖοι δέ[ν] μεγ εἰ[α]χόν ὥς ὅτε κύμα]  
 395 [ἀκτῇ] ἐφ ὑψηλῇ ὅτ[ε] κέ[ν]ινησῃ Νότος ἐλθὼν]

II. II. 398 ἀστάντες δ ὄρεοντο κέδασθεντες κατ[α] νῆας  
 κάπνισαν τε κ[ατὰ] κλισίας καὶ δειπν[ον] ἐλόντο·

Col. vi

374. l. τε. 375. εἶδ[ε]κεν rather than εἶθ[ε]κεν, as in P<sup>3</sup>. 383. κ written ῥ, i.e. corrected from ισ by insertion of the symbol above to indicate junction. 390. MSS. ἔξοον. 398. l. ἀνστάτες. 399. l. κάπνισαν.

- 400 αλλος δ αλλωι ε[ρεζε θεων αιειγενε]ταων  
 ευχομενος θαυ[ατον τε φυγειν και] μωλον Αρης·  
 αυταρ ο βουν ιερε[υσεν αναξ ανδρ]ων Αγαμεμνων  
 πιθνα πενταετ[ηρον υπερμενει Κ]ροنيων·  
 κικλησκειν δε γ[εροντας αριστης] Παναχαιων·  
 405 Νεστορα μεν πρ[ωτιστα και Ιδομε]νηα ανακτα·  
 αυταρ επειτ Αια[ντε δυω και Τυδεο]ς υιον·  
 εκτο[ν] δ αυτ Οδυσ[ηα Διι μητιν αταλα]ντον·  
 αυτοματος δε [οι ηλθε βοην αγ]αθος Μενελαος  
 ηιδεε γαρ κ[α]τ[α θυμον αδελ]φειον ως επονειτο·  
 410 βουν δε περ[ιστησαντο και ουλ]οχυτας ανελοντο·  
 [τοις]ιν δ ε[λ]χομενος με[τεφη κρε]ιων Αγαμε[μν]ων·  
 Ζε[ν κυδιστ]ε μεγιστε κελα[ιν]εφες αιθερι ναιω[ν]  
 μη [πριν επ η]ελιον δυнай κα[ι επι] κνεφας ελθειν  
 πρ[ιν με κα]τα πρηνες βαλε[ειν] Πριαμοιο μελαθρ[ον]  
 415 αιθ[αλοεν π]ρησαι δε πυρος δι[ηιοι]ο θυρετρα·  
 Εκ[τορεον δ]ε χιτωνα περι σ[τηθ]εσσι δαιξαι·  
 χαλ[κωι ρω]γαλεον πολεες [δ α]μφ αυτον εται[ροι]  
 πρην[εες εν] κονηισιν οδαξ λ[αζ]οιατο γαιαν·  
 Δ Π ως εφ[α]τ ουδ αρα πω οι [ε]πεκ[ραιαι]νε Κρονειων·  
 420 αλλ ο γε δεκτο μεις ιρα [πονον δ] αμεγαρτον οφε[λλεν]  
 αυταρ επει ρ ευξαντο κ[αι ουλοχ]υτας προβαλοντο  
 ανεργσαν μεν πρωτ[α και εσφαξα]ν και εδειραν  
 μηρο[υς] τ εξεταμον [κατα τε κυ]ισι εκαλυψα[ν]  
 διπ[τυχα] ποιησαντ[ες επ αυτων δ ω]μοθετησα[ν]  
 και τ[α μ]εν αρ σχιζι[σιν αφυλλοι]σιν κατε[καιον]  
 426 σπλα[γχι]να δ αρ α[μπειραντες υπειρε]χον Ηφαιστοι[ο]  
 430 [αυταρ επε]ι παυσσ[αντο πονου τετυκοντο τε] δα[ιτα]

II. II. 435 μηκετι νυν δι[ηθ αυθι λεγω]μεθα μηκετι [δηρον]  
 εμβαλλωμε[θα εργον ο] δη θεος εγνα[λίζει]  
 αλλ αγε κηρυ[κες μεν Α]χαιων χαλκ[οχ]ιτων[ων]

Col. vii

403. l. πίονα. 416. l. δαίξαι. 419. Π (= ποιητής) marks the narrative and occurs also against 441, which wrongly repeats 419. 420. μεις: l. μεν. 427-429. Omitted through haplography. 435. MSS. μηδ' ἔτι δηρόν. 436. l. ἀμβαλλώμεθα, ἐγγυαλίζει.

- λαον κηρυσσοῖτες ἀγειροντων κα[τα ν]ηας  
 ημεις δ αθρο[οι ωδε] κατα στρατον ε[ν]ρ[υ]ν Αχαιων  
 440· ειομεν οφρα κ[ε θασ]τον εγειρομεν ο[ξυν] Αρηα·  
 Π ως εφ'ατ ουδ α[ρα πω] οι επεκραιαινε Κρονηων  
 αυτικα κηρυκ[εσσι] λιγυφ[θ]ογγοισι κ[ελευ]σε  
 κηρυσσειν π[ολεμονδε καρ]η κομ[ωωντ]ας Αχαιους·  
 οι μεν εκ[η]ρυσσον τοι δ ηγειροντο μαλ' ωκα·  
 445 ο[ι] δ αμφ [Ατρειωνα διο]τρεφ[εες βασιλη]ες  
 [θυνον κρινοντες μετ]α δε [γλαυκωπις Αθηνη]  
 [αιγιδ εκουσ εριτιμο]ν αγ[ηρων αθανατην τε]  
 [της εκατον θυσανοι] παγχρυσοι η[ερεβονται]  
 [παντες ευπλεκεες ε]κατομβοιοις [δε εκαστος]  
 450 [συν τη παιφασσο]υσα διεσσυτ[ο λαον Αχαιων]  
 [οτρυνουσ ιεναι ε]ν δε σθενος [ωρσεν εκαστωι]  
 [καρδιηι αλληκτον] πολεμιζει[ν ηδε μαχεσθαι]  
 [τοισι δ αφαρ πολεμ]ος γλυκιω[ν γενετ ηε νεεσθαι]  
 [εν νηυσι γλαφυρη]ισι φιλην es πα[τριδα γαιαν]  
 455 [ηυτε πυρ αιδηλον επι]φλεγει ασπετ[ον υλην]  
 [ουρεος εν κορυφης] εκαθεν δε τε [φαινεται] αυγη  
 [ως των ερχομενω]ν απο χαλκου [θεσπεσι]οιο  
 [αιγλη παμφανοωσ]α δε αιθερος [ουρανον] ικεν·  
 [των δ ως τ ορνιθων πε]τεηνων ε[θνεα πολ]λα  
 [χηνων η γερανων η κ]υκνων δου[λιχοδειρ]ω[ν]  
 [Ασιωι εν λειμωνι Κανσ]τ[ριου] αμ[φι ρεεθρα]  
 462 [ενθα και ενθα ποτ]ωνται α[γαλλ]ομενα πτερυγεσσι·  
 . . . . .

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- Π. Π. 466 [σμερδαλεον κονα]βιζε ποδων αυτων τε κα[ι] ιππων·  
 [εσταν δ εν λειμωνι Σκαμ]ανδριωι ανθεμ[οεντι]  
 [μυριοι οσσα τε φυλλα και αν]θεα γιγνεται ω[ρη]  
 [ηυτε μυιαων αδιναων εθνεα πολ]λα  
 470 [αι τε κατα σταθμον ποιμν]ηιον ηλασ[κουσιν]  
 [ωρηι εν ειαρινηι οτε τε γ]λαγος αγγεα δ[ενει]·

Col. viii

441. See note on 419. MSS. οὐδ' ἀπίθῃσεν ἄναξ ἀνδρῶν Ἀγαμέμνων.

- [τοσσοι επι Τρωεσσι καρη κομοωντες Α]χαιοι  
 [εν πεδιωι ισταντο διαρραισαι μεμα]ω[τ]ες·  
 [τους δ ως τ αιπολια πλατε αιγων αι]πολοι ανδρες  
 475 [ρεια διακρινωσιν επει κε νομωι μιγεω]σ[ι]ν·  
 [ως τους ηγεμονες διεκοσμεον ενθ]α και ενθα  
 [υσμινηνδ ιεναι μετα δε γλανκω]πισ Αθηνη  
 ομματ[α και κεφαλην ικελος Δι τερ]πικεραυνωι  
 Αρει δε ζωνην [στερνον δε Ποσειδαωνι]·  
 480 ηυτε βους αγε[ληφι μ]ετ εξοχ[ος επ]λετο παντων  
 ταυρος· ο γαρ τ[ε βοεσσι] μεταπρ[επ]ει αγρομενοιο·  
 τοιον αρ Ατρ[ειδην θηκ]ε Ζευς ημα[τι] κεινωι  
 εκπρεπε εν [πολλοι]σι και εξοχον η[ρω]εσσιν·  
 εσπετε νυν [μοι Μο]υσσαι Ολυμπια [δω]ματ εχουσαι  
 485 υμεις γαρ θεα[ι εσ]τε παρεστε τε ισ[τε] τε παντα  
 ημεις δε κλερ[ς οι]ον ακουομεν [ουδ]ε τι ιδμεν·  
 οι τινες ηγεμ[ου]ς Δαναων κα[ι κοιρ]ανοι ησαν·  
 πληθυν δ ουκ αν [ε]γω μυθησομα[ι ουδ] ενομηνω  
 ουδ ει μοι δεκα μεν γλωσσαι δ[εκα δε στοματ ειεν]  
 490 φωνη δ αρρηκ[το]ς χαλκεον δε [μοι η]τορ ενεειη  
 [ει] μη Ολυμπια[δε]ς κουραι Διος [αιγιοχοιο]  
 [θυ]γατερες μν[ησα]ιαθ οσοι υπ[ο Ιλιον ηλθον]  
 [αρχ]ους αυ νη[ων ερεω νηας τε προπασας]  
 494 [Βοιω]των [μεν Πηνελεως και Δηιτος ηρχον]

II. II. 498 Θεσπειαν Γραιν τε κα[ι ευρυχ]ορον Μυκαλησσον

Col. ix

498<sup>a</sup> οι τ Ελεων ιχον το

οι τ αμφ Αρμ ενεμον[το κα]ι Ιλεσιον και Ερυθρας

500 οι τ Ελεων ιχον ηδ Τλην [κ]αι Πετεωνα

Οκαλην Μεδεωνα τ ευκτιμενον ποτλιοεθρο[ν]

Κωπας Ευτρησιν τε πολυτρηωνα τε Θισβην

οι τε Δορωνσιαν και ποιηεντ Αλιαρτον

οι τε Πλαταιαν εχον οι δη Γλεισαντ ενεμοντο

477. l. μετὰ δὲ κρείων Ἀγαμέμνων.  
 μέγ'.

481. l. μεταπρέπει. γρ of αγρομενοιο corr. from π (?).  
 l. ὀνομήνω.

500; ο of οι rewritten.

491. MSS. Μοῦσαι.

503. l. Κορώνειαν.

479. Or perhaps Ποσειδαωνι.

498. l. Γραῖαν.

498<sup>a</sup>. A confusion with

504. MSS. ἡδ' οἱ Γλισάντ'.

480. l.

488.

- 505 οἱ θ [Υ]ποθηβας εἶχον ευκτιμενον πτολιεθρον  
 Ογχηστον ιερον Ποσειδηιον αἰγλαον αἰσος  
 οἱ τε πολυσταφυλον [Αρ]νην [ε]χον οἱ τε Μιδειαν  
 Νι[σα]ν τε ζαθε[η]ν Ανθηδονα τ εσχατωσ[α]ν  
 των [με]ν πε[ν]τηκο[ν]τα νεες κιον εν δε εκ[αστη]ι  
 510 κ[ουρ]οι Βοιω[των] εκα[τον] και εικοσι βα[ιν]ον  
 οἱ [δ] Ασπληδονα να[ιο]ν ιδ Ορχομενον Μινυει[ον]  
 τ[ω]ν ηρχ Ασκαλαφος και Ιαλμενος νιες Αρη[ο]ς  
 ους τεκεν Αστυοχη δομωι Ακτορος Αζει[δ]αο  
 παρθενος αιδειη υπερωιον εισαναβασα  
 515 Α[ρη]ι κρατερωι· ο δε οἱ π[α]ρελεξατο λαθρη.  
 τ[οι]ς δε τρηκοντα γ[λα]φυραι νεες εστιχοωντο  
 α[ντ]αρ Φωκειων Οδιο[ς] και Επιστροφος [ηρχ]ον  
 νι[ς] Ιφιτου μεγαθυμ[ο]ν Ναμβολιδαο  
 οἱ Κυπαρισσον εχον Ποιθωνα τε πετρηεσσαν  
 520 Κρι[ι]σαν τε ζαθεην Αν[θ]ηδονα τ εσχατωσαν·  
 οἱ τ Ανεμωρειαν κ[αι] Τα[μ]πολιν αμφενεμοντο  
 Ε[ο]ι τ αρα παρ ποταμ[ον] Κη[φ]ισον διον εναιο[ν]  
 οἱ τε Λιλαιον εχο[ν] πηγης επι Κηφεισοιο·  
 τ[οι]ς δ αμα τεσσ[αρα]κοντα μελαιναι νη[ς] επ[ο]ντο·  
 [οἱ μ]εν Φωκε[ι]ων στιχας ιστα[σαν] αμφιε[πο]ντο·  
 526 [Βοιωτων] δ εμ[πλην] επ αριστερα θ[ω]ρησ[ον]το

- II. II. 529 αλλα πολ[υ] μει[ων] ολιγος μεν εην αινοθωρηξ  
 εγχειη δ εκεκ[αστο] πανελληνας Αχαιους  
 οἱ Κυνον τ [εν]εμοντ Οποεντα τε Καλλιαρον τε  
 Βησσαν τε Σκαρφην τε και Ανγηας ερατεινας  
 Ταρφην τε Θροنيον τε Βοαγριον αμφι ρεεθρα·  
 τωι δ αμα τεσσερακοντα μελαιναι νη[ς] εποντο·  
 535 Λοκρων οἱ γαιουσι περην ιερης Ευβοιης·  
 οἱ δ Ευβοιαν εχον μενεα πνηοντες Αβαντες

Col. x

506. l. θ' after Ὀγχηστόν. 509. ι of κιον a later insertion. 514. l. αἰδοίη.  
 517. Φωκειων: so several authorities (cf. 525). Οδιο[ς]: l. Σχεδῖος. 519. l. Πυθῶνα.  
 520. l. καὶ Δανλῖδα καὶ Πανοπῆα: repeated from 508. 521. MSS. ἀμφινέμοντο.  
 523. l. Λίλαιαν. 525. l. ἀμφιέποντες. 529. l. λινοθώρηξ. 530. l. καὶ Ἀχαιοὺς.  
 532. l. Αὐγείας. 534. l. τεσσαράκοντα: so too 630, 644, &c. 536. l. πνείοντες.

- Χαλκείδα τ Ειρετρείαν τι πολυσταφυλον θ Ιστιαϊαν  
 Κηρινθο[ν] τ εφάλον Διου τ αιπυ πτολιεθρον  
 οι τε Καρ[υσ]τον εχον ηδ υ Στυρα να[ι]εταασκον  
 540 τω[ν] αυθ η]γεμενευ Ελεφηνωρ . οζ[ο]ς Αρ[η]ος  
 [Χαλκωδον]τιαδης μεγαθυ[μω]ν αρ[χος Αβαντ]ων  
 τω[ι] δ α[μα] παντες εποντο [θοο]ι οπιθον κομ[ω]ντες  
 αιχμηται μεμαωτες ορεχθησιν μελιηισ[ι]  
 θωρηκας ρηξειν δηιων αμφι στηθεσσι  
 545 τω[ι] δ αμα τεσσαρακοντα μελαιναι νηες εποντο  
 οι δ [α]ρ [Α]θηνας ειχον ευκτειμενον πτολιεθρον  
 δημον Ερεχθης μεγαλητορος ον ποτ Αθηνη  
 θρεψε Διος θυγατηρ τεκε δε ζειδωρος αρουρα  
 καδ δ εν Αθηνηις εισεν εωι εν πιονι νηω  
 550 ενθα δε νιν ταυροισι και ορνειοις ιλαονται  
 κουροι Α[θ]ηναιων περιτελλεμενων ενιαυτων  
 των αυ[θ] η]γεμονευ υειος Πετεως Μενεσθ[ευ]ς  
 τωι δ ου [πω] τις ομοιος επιχθονος γενετ αι[η]ρ  
 κοσμη[η]σαι ι]ππους τε και ανερας ασπιδω[τας]  
 555 Νεστ[ωρ] οιος ε]ριζειν ο γαρ πογενεστερος ηεν  
 τ[ωι] δ αμα πεν[τη]κοντα μ[ε]λαιναι [νηες εποντο]  
 Α[ι]ας δ εκ Σαλα[μ]ινος αγε[ν] δ]υωκα[ι]δεκα νηας  
 559 ο[ι] δ Αργος τ ειχον Τ[ε]ιρ[υ]νθα τε τειchioεσσαν  
 . . . . .

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- Il. II. 562 οι τ εχον Αιγιναν Μασ[η]τα τε κουροι Αχαιω[ν]  
 των αυθ ηγεμονευε βο[η]ν αγαθος Διομηδης  
 και Σθενελος Καπανης αγακλειτου φιλος υιος  
 565 τοισι δ αμ Ευρυαλος τριτατος κιεν ισοθεος φως  
 Μηκιστεως υιος Ταλαιουιδαο ανακτος  
 συνπαντων δ ηγειτο βοην αγαθος Διομηδης

Col. xi

537. τι: l. τε. 539. υ: l. οἱ. 540. l. ἡγεμόνεν; a letter precedes οζος.  
 542. l. ἄμ' Ἀβαντες, ὀπιθεν. 543. l. ὀρεκτῆσιν. 550. MSS. μιν. 551. l. περιτελλο-  
 μένων. 552. l. Πετεῶο. 553. l. ἐπιχθόνιος. 555. l. προγενέστερος. 558. Probably  
 om.; see G. M. Bolling, *The External Evidence for Interpolation in Homer* (1925),  
 p. 255. 566. l. Μηκιστέος.

- τοισι δ αμ ογδοηκοντα μελαιναι νηες εποντο·  
 οι δε Μυκηνας ειχον ευκτειμενον πτολιεθρον  
 570 αφνειον τε Κορινθον ευκτιμενας τε Κλεωνας  
 Ορνειας τ ενεμοντο Αραιθυρεην τ ερατεινην  
 και Σικυων οτ αρ Αδρ[η]στος πρωτ εμβασιλευσεν·  
 οι θ Υ[πε]ρη[σι]ην [τε και α]πεινην Γονοε[σ]σαν  
 Πε[λλ]ηνην τ ει[χον ηδ] Αιγιον αμφινε[μ]ογτο  
 575 Αιγ[ι]αλον τ ανα πα[ν]τα και αμφ Ελικη[ν] ευρειαν·  
 των εκατον νηων ηρχε κρειων Αγαμεμνων·  
 Ατρειδης αμα τωι γε πολυ πλειστοι και αριστοι  
 λαοι εποντ εν δ αυτος εδυσετο νωροπα χαλκον  
 κυδιοων οτι πασι μετεπρεπεν ηρωεσσιν·  
 580 ουνεκ αριστος εην· πολυ δε πλειστους αγε λαους·  
 οι δ [ι]χοι κοιλην Λακεδαιμονα κητωεσσαν  
 Φαριν τε Σπαρτην τε πολυτρηρωνα τε Μεσσην  
 Βρυθειας τ ενεμοντο και Αυγειας ερατεινας  
 οι τ αρ Αμυκλας ειχον Ελος τ εφαλون πτολιεθρον  
 585 οι τε Λααν ειχον ηδ Ο[ι]τ[υ]λον αμφενεμοντο·  
 588 εν δ αυτος κien ησ[ι π]ροθυμειηισι πε[π]οιθως·  
 οτρυνων πολεμ[ονδε μ]αλιστα δε ιετο θυμωι  
 τεισασθαι Ολεν[ης ορμηματα] τε στοναχας τε·  
 οι δε Πυλον τ ε[νε]μοντο κ[αι] Αρηνην ερατεινην  
 592 κα[ι Θ]ρ[υ]ον Α[λ]φειοιο πορον κα[ι] ε[υ]κτιτον Α[ι]π[ν]

- II. II. 597 στ[ευτ]ο γαρ ευχομενος νικησεμεν ειπ[ερ α]ν αυται  
 Μου[σ]αι αειδοι[μ]εν κου[ρ]αι Διος αιγιοχοιο  
 αι δε χολωσαμεναι πηρ[ο]ν θεσαν αυταρ αοιδην  
 600 θεσπεσιην αφελοντο και εκλελαθον κιθαριστυν·  
 των αυθ ηγεμονευε [Γ]ερηνιος ιπποτα Νεστωρ·  
 τωι δ ενενηκοντα γλαφυραι νεες εστιχωωντο·  
 οι τ εχον Αρκαδιην υπο Αυλληνης ορος αιπυ

Col. xii

568. Allen ὀγδώκοντα: so too 652. 572. l. ὅθ'. ἐμβασιλευσεν: see Allen, app.  
 crit. 574. MSS. ἀμφενέμοντο. 579. A curved line enclosing a dot over ν of  
 ηρωεσσιν (qu. for deletion?). 581. l. εἶχον. 583. l. Βρυσειάς. 586, 587.  
 Omitted. 590. l. Ἑλένης. 598. μ of αειδοιμεν cancelled by two dots above it.  
 603. l. δ', Κυλλήνης.

- Αἰπυτίον παρα τυμβόν ἰν ἀνέρες ἀγχιμαχῆται  
 605 οἱ Φένεον τε νεμόντο καὶ Ὀρχομένον πολυμήλον  
 Ριτ[η]ν τε Στρατιήν τε καὶ ἠνεμοέσσαν Εὐισπὴν  
 κ[αὶ] Τέκεν εἶχον καὶ Ματινέην ἐρα[τ]εῖν  
 [Στυ]μφήλον τ εἶχον καὶ Παρρά[σιν] ἐνέμοντο·  
 [τ]ῶν ἦρχ Ἀγκαιοῖο [πα]ῖς κρείων Ἀ[γαπή]νωρ  
 610 ἐξήκοντα νέων πόλεες δ ἐν νη[ι] ἐκαστῇ  
 Ἀρκαδὲς ἀνδρὲς ἐβᾶινον ἐπισταμενοὶ πολεμιζέιν  
 αὐτὸς γὰρ σφὶν δῶκεν ἀναξ ἀνδρῶν Ἀγαμεμνῶν  
 νῆας εὐσσελμούς περαὰν ἐπὶ οἰνοπα πόντον·  
 Ἀτρεΐδης ἐπὶ οὐ σφὶ θαλάσσια ἐργὰ μεμῆλει·  
 615 οἱ δ ἀρὰ Βονπρασίων τε καὶ Ἡλίδας διὸν ἐναίον  
 ὀσσον ἐφ' Ὑρμίνῃ καὶ Μυρσίνῳ ἐσχατοῦσα  
 πέτρῃ τ Ὀλένῃ καὶ Λέσιον ἐντὸς ἐργεῖ  
 τῶν αὖ τέσσαρες ἀρχοὶ ἔσαν δέκα δ ἀνδρ' ἐκαστῷ  
 νῆες ἐπόντο θοαὶ πόλεες δ ἐμβάινον Ἐπειοὶ·  
 620 τ[ω]ν μὲν ἀρ' Ἀμφιμάχος καὶ Θαλπίο[ς] ἠγησασθῆν·  
 [νιέ]ς ὁ μὲν Κτεάτου ὁ δ ἀρ' Εὐρυτό[υ] Ἀκ[τ]οριῶνος·  
 [τῶν] δ Ἀμαρυγκείδης ἦρχε κρατέ[ρος] Δι[ω]ρῆς·  
 [τῶν] δὲ τέταρτων ἦρχε Πολυξεί[νος] θεο[ει]δῆς·  
 [νιός] Ἀγ[ασ]θeneος Ἀνγηιάδης [ἀνακτός]  
 625 [οἱ] δ ἐκ Δο[υ]λίου Ε[χ]ίναων [θ] ιεραῶν

- II. II. 630 τῷ δ ἀμὰ τέ[σσο]ξερακόντα μέλαινα νῆες ἐποῦ[το]  
 αὐτὰρ Ὀδυσσε[ύς] ἦγε Κεφαλλήνας μεγαθύμους  
 οἱ ρ Ἰθακὴν εἶχον καὶ Νηρίον ἰοσιφύλλον  
 καὶ Κροκύλει ἐνεμόντο καὶ Αἰγίλιπα τρηχεῖαν·  
 οἱ τε Ζακύνθον ἔχον ἡδ' οἱ Σάμον ἀμφενεμόντο·  
 635 οἱ τ' ἠπειρὸν ἔχον ἡδ' ἀντιπεραί ἐνεμόντο·  
 τῶν μὲν Ὀδυσσεύς εἶχε Διὸς μῆτιν ἀταλάντων·  
 τῷ δ ἀμὰ νῆες ἐπόντο δυνώδεκα μίλτοπαρεῖοι  
 Αἰτωλῶν δ ἠγεῖτο Θοᾶς Ἀνδραίμονος υἱός

Col. xiii

607. 1. Τεγέην, καὶ Μαντινέην.  
 1. πέτρῃ τ' Ὀλένῃ καὶ Ἀλίσιον.  
 crit. 622. 1. Ἀμαρυγκείδης.  
 1. ἦρχε, ἀτάλαντος.

614. 1. θαλάσσια.  
 618. 1. ἀνδρῖ.

615. 1. διαν.

617.

621. Ἀκτοριῶνος: see Allen, app.

635. First ι of ἀντιπεραί a later insertion.

636.

- οι Πλευρων ενεμοντο και Ωλενον ηδε Πυληνην  
 640 Χαλκιδα τ α[γ]χιαλον Καλυδωνα τε πετρηεσσαν  
 ου γ[α]ρ ε[τ] Οἰ[η]ος μεγαλητορος νιες ησαν  
 ουδ αρα τ [αυτ]ος εην θανε [δ]ε ξανθος Με[λεαγρ]ος·  
 τωι δ επι [πα]ντ εταλτο ανασσεμεν Αιτωλ[ο]ισι·  
 τωι δ αμα τεσσερακοντα μελαιναι νηες εποντο·  
 645 Κρητων δ Ιδομενευς δουρικλυτος ηγεμονευε·  
 οι Κνωσον τ ειχον Γορτυνα τε τιχιοεσσαν  
 Λυκτον Μιλητον τε και αργινοεντα Καμιρον  
 Φαιστον τε Ρυτιον τε πολεις ευ ναιετασας·  
 αλλοι θ οι Κρητην εκατονπολιν αμφενεμοντο·  
 650 των μεν αρ Ειδομενευς δουρικλυτος ηγεμονευε  
 Μηριονης δ αταλαντος Ενναλιωι ανδριφοντη·  
 τοισι δ αμ ογδοηκοντα μελαιναι νηες εποντο·  
 Τληπολεμος δ Ηρακλειδης ης τε μεγας τε  
 εκ Ροδου ε[νν]εα νηας αγεν Ροδιων αγερω[χων]·  
 οι Ροδον α[μφε]νεμοντο δια τριχα κοσμη[θεντες]·  
 656 Λινδον Ι[η]λυσον τ[ε] και αργινοεντα Καμ[ειρον]  
 658 ον τεκ[εν] Αστυοχ[ειαν] βιηι Ηρακλειειη[ι]  
 τη[ν] αγετ εξ Εφυρης π[ο]τ[αμου] απο Σελληεντος]  
 660 πε[ρ]σας αστεα πολλα διοτρεφεων αιζων]
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- II. II. 663 ηδη γηρασκο[ν]τα] Λικυμνιον οζος Αρης·  
 αυψα δε νηας επ[η]ξε πολυν δ ο γε λαον αγειρα[s]  
 665 βη φευγων επι ποντον απειλησαν γαρ οι αλ[λ]οι  
 νιες νιωνοι τε βιης Ηρακληειης  
 αυταρ ο γ ες Ροδον ιξεν αλω[μ]ενος αλγεα πασχων  
 τριχθα δε ωκηθεν καταφυλα[δ]ον ηδ εφιληθεν  
 εκ Διος ος τε θεοισι και ανθρωποισιν ανασσει·  
 670 και σφιν θεσπεσιον πλουτον κατεχευε Κρονιων·

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642. l. ἄρ' ἔτ.  
 from 656: l. Λύκαστον.  
 658. l. Ἀστυόχεια.

643. l. ἐτέταλτο.  
 651. MSS. τ.  
 663. l. ὄζον.

644. l. τεσσαράκοντα.  
 657. Omitted; see after 683.  
 666. l. νιέες.

647. Καμιρον

- Νειρεὺς Ἀστυμηθεὺν ἀγεν τρεῖς] νῆας εἰσας·  
 Νειρεὺς Ἀγλαι[η]ς υἱὸς Χάροπο τ ἀνακτος  
 Νειρεὺς ὁς κα[λ]λίστος ἀνὴρ ὑπὸ Ἰλίῳν ἦλθεν  
 τῶν [[δ]] ἀλ[λ]ων Δ]αναῶν μετ ἀ[μ]ύμονα Πηλ[ε]ίωνα  
 675 ἀλλ ἀλα[παδ]νος εἶην παν[ρος] δέ] οἱ [ε]σπ[ε]το λα[ος]  
 οἱ δ ἀρα Νίσυρ[ον] τ εἶχον Κραπαθὸν τε Κασόν] τε  
 καὶ Κῶν Εὐρυπύλοιο πολὺν νῆσους τε Καλυδ[ον]ας·  
 τῶν αὖ Φιδίππος τε καὶ Ἀ[ν]τιφός ἠγησάσθη]ν  
 Θεσσαλοῦ υἱε δὺν Ἡρακλ[ε]ίδαο ἀνακτος]  
 680 τῶν δέ τριηκόντα γλαφυ[ραι] νῆες ἐστιχόω]ντο·  
 νῦν αὖ τοὺς ὀσσοὶ τὸ Πελασ[γικόν] Ἀργὸς ἐναι]ον  
 οἱ τ Ἀλόν οἱ τ Ἀλοπὴν οἱ τε Τ[ρ]ηχίνων ἐνεμόντο]  
 οἱ τ εἶχον Φθ[ε]ίην ἠδ Ἀλλαδ[α] καλλιγυναικα]  
 683<sup>a</sup> τὸν μὲν Τληπόλεμος δο[υρικλ]υτος ἠγεμ[ονε]υε·  
 Μυρμιδόνες [δ]ε καλεῦντο [καὶ Ἕλλη]νες καὶ Ἀχαιοὶ  
 685 τῶν αὖ πεντ[η]κόντα νῆω]ν ἡν ἀρχὸς Ἀχιλλ[ε]υς  
 ἀλλ οἱ γ οὐ πολέμοιο δὺσηχ[ε]ος ἐμῶντο]  
 688 κείτο γάρ ἐν νῆε]σσι π[ο]δαρκῆς διὸς Ἀχιλλ[ε]υς]  
 κούρης χορ[μ]ένος Βρισηίδος ἠυκομοίω]  
 τὴν ἐκ Λυρ[ν]ήσσου ἐξείλετο πολλὰ μογησας]  
 691 Λυρνησ[σον] διαπορθήσας καὶ τείχεα Θηβης]

- II. II. 696 Δημήτρος τεμένος Ἰτ[ω]νά τε μητέρα μῆδων  
 ἀγχιάλων τ Ἀντρώνα ἰδ[ε] Π[ε]τελεὼν λεχεποίην·  
 τῶν αὖ Πρωτεσίλαος Ἀρήιος ἠγεμόνευε  
 ζῶος ἔων τότε δὴ ἔχεν κατὰ γαῖα μέλαιναν  
 700 τοῦ δέ καὶ ἀμφιτρύφης ἀλοχὸς Φυλακὴ ἐλελείπτο  
 καὶ δόμος ἡμιτελὴς τοῦ δ ἔκτανε [Δ]αρδανὸς ἀνὴρ·  
 νῆος ἀποθιώσκοντα πολὺ πρῶτισ[το]ν Ἀχαιῶν  
 οὐδὲ μὲν οὐδ ὁμ ἀναρχοὶ ἐστὶν ποθ[ε]ῖον γε μὲν ἀρχόν  
 ἀλλὰ σφέας κοσμήσσε Ποδαρκῆς ὀζ[ο]ς Ἀρης

Col. xv

671. 1. αὐ Σύμηθεν: see Allen, app. crit. ἀγεν: see Allen. 672. 1. Χάροποιο.  
 674. A dot over δ, apparently for deletion. 675. ἐσπετο: so p<sup>40</sup>. 680. τῶν:  
 see Allen, app. crit. 683. 1. Ἑλλάδα. 683<sup>a</sup>. 657 wrongly inserted here. 1. τῶν.  
 687. Omitted. 689. 1. χῳόμενος. 696. 1. μῆλων. 699. 1. τότε δ' ἤδη, μέλαινα.  
 700. 1. ἀμφιδρυφής. 702. 1. ἀποθρῳσκοντα. 703. ὁμ: 1. οἱ.

- 705 *Ιφικλου υιος πολυμηλου Φυλακι[δαο]*  
*αυτοκασιγνητος μεγαθυμου Πρ[ω]τεσιλαου*  
*ο προτερος γενεης ο [δ] αμα προτερ[ος] και αρειων*  
*ηρωσ Π[ρ]ωτεσιλαος [Α]ρηιος ουδε τ[ι] λαοι*  
*δευ[ονθ] ηγεμ[ονο]ς ποθεον γε μ[εν] εσθλον ε[οντ]α·*
- 710 *τω[ι] δ αμα τεσσαρα[κοντα] [μελαινα]ι νηes εποντο·*  
*οι δε Φ[ε]ρας ενεμον[το] παραι Βοιβη[ιδ]α λιμνην*  
*Βοιβην [και Γλαφυρας] και ευκτιμενη[ν] Ιαωλκον·*  
*των δ η[ρχ] Αδμητοιο φιλος παις ενδ[ε]κα νηων*  
*Ευμηλος τον υπ Αδμ[η]τω τεκε δια γυναικων*
- 715 *Αλκησ[τις] Πελιαο θυγατρων ιδος αριστη·*  
*οι δ αρα [Μηθωνη]ν κ[αι] Θαυμακινη εν[ε]μοντο*  
*και Μελ[ι]βοιαν εχον[ε] και Ολιζωνα τρηχειαν·*  
*των δε [Φιλοκτητης] η[ρχ]εν τοξων ευ ειδως*  
*επτα ν[ε]ων ερεται δ ε[ν] εκαστη πεντηκοντα*
- 720 *εμβεβ[ασαν] τοξων εν ειδοτες ιφι μα[χ]εσθαι·*  
*αλλ ο μ[εν] εν νησωι κειτ[ο] κρατερ αλγεα [π]ασχων*  
*Λημνω[ι] εν ηγαθει οθι μιν λιπον υιες Αχαιων·*  
*ελκει μοχθιζοντα κακ[ω]ι ολοοφρον[ο]ς υδρον·*  
*ενθ ο [γε] κειτ αχεων ταχα[ι] δε μνησε[σθ]αι εμελλο[ν]*  
*Αργ[ε]ιοι παρα νηυσι Φιλοκ[τη]ταο αν[α]κτος·*
- 726 *[ουδε] μεν ουδ οι αναρχοι εσαν ποθεον γε μ[εν] αρχον]*

- II. II. 730 *οι τ εχον Οιχαλην πολιν Ευρυτο[ν] Οιχαληο[s]*  
*των αυθ ηγισθην Ασκληπ[ι]ου δυο παιδε*  
*ιητηρ δ αγαθω Ποδαλιριος ηδε Μαχαω[ν]*  
*των δε τριηκοντα γλαφυραι νεες εστι[χ]ωντο]*  
*οι δ εχον Ορμενιον οι δε κρηνην Τπερει[αν]*
- 735 *οι τ εχον Αστεριον Τιτανοιο τε λευκα κα[ρ]ηνα]*  
*των ηρχ Ευρυπυλος Ευαιμονος αγλαος [υιος]*  
*τωι δ αμα τεσσερακοντα μελαιναι νη[ς] εποντο]*

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707. 1. ὀπλότερος γενεῇ. 713. των δ: so some other MSS. Uniting this and the previous line in the right margin a later hand has written a large symbol like Z of doubtful import; perhaps stichometric but not the same hand as the other stichometric figures.  
 732. 1. ἰητῆρ. 733. MSS. τοῖς δέ. 734. 1. τε κρήνην.

- οι δ Αργισαν εχον και Γυρτωνην ενεμο[ντο]  
 Ορθην Ηλωνην τε πολιν τ Ολοοσσονα λε[υκην]  
 740 των αυθ ηγεμονευε μενεπτολεμο[s Πολυποιτης]  
 υιος Πειριθοιο του αθαντος τεκετο Ζ[ευσ]  
 τον ρ υπο Πειριθοωι τεκετο κλυτος Ιπ[ποδαμεια]  
 ηματι τω[ι ο]τε Φηρα[s ε]τεισατο λαχνη[εντας]  
 τους δ εκ Πηλυου ωσε και Αιθικε[σσι πελασσειν]  
 745 ουκ οιος αμα τωι γε Λεοντευς οζος Α[ρ]ηος]  
 υιος υπερθυμοιο Κορωνου Καινειδαο  
 τοις δ αμα τεσσερακοντα μελαιναι [ν]ηες εποντο]  
 Γουνευς δ ακ Κυφου ηγε δυω και εικοσι [ν]ηας]  
 τωι δ Αινεινες εποντο μενεπτολεμ[οι τε Περαιβοι]  
 750 οι περι Δωδωνην δυσχειμερον οικι εθεν[το]  
 οι τ αμφ ειμερτον Τιταρησιον εργ ενε[μοντο]  
 ος ρ ες Πηνειον προiei καλλιροον υδωρ  
 ουδ ο γε Πηνειωι συνμισγεται αργυροδε[ινη]  
 αλλα το μιν καθυπερθεν επιρρει ητ ε[λαιον]  
 755 ορκου γαρ δεινου Στυγος υδατος εστιν [απορρωξ]  
 Μαγνηταν δ ηρχεν Προθοος Τενθρηδο[νος υιος]  
 οι περι Πηνειον και Πηλ[ιο]ν εινοσιφυλλον  
 ναιεσκον των μεν [Προθ]οος θεος ηγεμ[ονευε]  
 [τ]ωι δ αμα τεσσερα[κοντα] μελαιναι νη[ε]ς εποντο]  
 760 [ου]το[ι αρ ηγ]εμον[ε]ς Δαναων και κοιρ[α]ν[οι] [ησαν]  
 . . . . .

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Col. xvii lost.

- II. II. 803 [πολλοι γα]ρ κ[α]τα αστυ μεγα Πρια[μ]ου] επικουροι· Col. xviii  
 [αλλη δ α]λλων γλω[σσα πολυσπερε]ων [α]νθρ[ωπ]ων  
 805 [τοισιν εκ]αστος αν[ηρ σημαινε]τω οισι περ α[ρ]χ[ει]

738. l. \*Αργισαν: see Allen, app. crit. 741. l. ἀθάνατος. 743. η of ηματι  
 corr. from α. 744. l. Πηλίου. 746. δ of Καινειδαο corr. from τ. 748. l. ἐκ.  
 749. l. Ἐνιήνες. 751. Τιταρήσιον: so MSS. MSS. ἔργα νέμοντο. 752.  
 l. καλλίροον. 754. l. τε. 758. l. θός. 803. Above this is written something  
 with a line over it in another hand and the reverse way up. It may begin ἐπιγα . . . It  
 has apparently no connexion with the text and is hardly stichometrical.

- [των δ ἐ]ξηγεισθ[ω κοσμησαμεν]ος πο[λιη]τας  
 [ως εῖφα]θ Ἐκτωρ [δ ου τι θεας ἐπος ἡγνοι]ησεν·  
 [αἶψα δὲ λυσ ἀγορην ἐπὶ τευχέα δ ἐσσευον]το  
 [πασαὶ δ ωἰγνυντο πυλαὶ ἐκ δ ἐσσυτο λαο]ς  
 810 [πέζοι θ] ἱππῆες τ[ε πολὺς δ ὀρυμαγδὸς ὀρ]ωρει·  
 [ἐστὶ δὲ] τις Θρῡξ[εσσα πόλις αἰπεία κολω]νῃ  
 [ἐν πεδι]ωι ἀπαυ[ευνθε περιδρομος ἐνθα κ]αὶ ἐ[ν]θα  
 [τὴν ἡτ]οὶ ἀνδρες [Βατιείαν κικλησκουσι]ν·  
 [ἀθανά]τοι δὲ τε [σημα πολυσκαρθμοιο Μυ]ρίνης  
 815 [ἐνθα το]τ[ε Τρῶ]ες τε διεκριθεν ἡδ ἐπικο]ῦροι·  
 [Τρῶσι μὲν ἡγεμονεὺς μέγας κορυθαιο]λ[ος Ἐκτωρ  
 [Πριαμίδης ἀμὰ τῶι γέ πολὺ πλείστοι καὶ ἀρ]ι[στ]οί  
 [λαοὶ θωρησσοντο μεμαότες ἐγχείησι]  
 [Δαρδανίων αὐτ ἡρχεν εὖς παῖς Ἀγχισας]  
 820 [Αἰνείας τὸν ὑπ Ἀγχιση]ι τεκε δι Ἀφροδι[τη]  
 [Ἰδης ἐν κνημοῖσι θεὰ βροτῶι εὐνηθείς]α·  
 [οὐκ οἶος ἀμὰ τῶι γέ δυνω Ἀντηνορος υἱέ]  
 [Ἀρχελοχος τ Ἀκάμας τε μάχης ἐν εἶδοτε πασ]ῆς·  
 [οἱ δὲ Ζελείαν ἐναιὸν ὑπαὶ ποδὰ νείατον Ἰδ]ης  
 825 [ἀφνειοὶ πινόντες ὕδωρ μέλαν Αἰσηποῖο]  
 [Τρῶες τῶν αὐτ ἡρχε Λυκαονὸς ἀγλαὸς υἱός]  
 [Πανδαρὸς ὦι καὶ τοξὸν Ἀπολλῶν αὐτὸς ἐδ]ώκειν·  
 [οἱ δ Ἀδρηστείαν τ εἶχον καὶ δῆμον Ἀπαισού]  
 [καὶ Πιτυεῖαν ἐχόν καὶ Τηρείης ὅπως αἰπύ]  
 830 [τῶν ἡρχ Ἀδρηστός τε καὶ Ἀμφίος λινοθωρ]ηξ

- II. II. 838 Ἀσι[ς Τρτακίδης [ὸν] Ἀρισβηθεν φέρον ἱπποῖ  
 840 Ἴππο[θ]ῶος δ ἀνὲ φ[υλ]ᾱ Πελασγῶν ἐγχεσιμῶρ[ω]ν  
 τῶν οἱ Δαρίσαν ἐρ[ιβ]ῶλακα ναιεταασκόν·  
 τῶ[ν] ἡ[ρ]χ Ἴπποθοός τε Πυλαιοσ τ οἶος Ἀρῆος  
 [ν]ι[ε] [δυνω] Ληθοῖο Πελασγοῦ Τευταμίδαο·  
 848 αὐ[ταρ] Πυραιχμῆ[ς] ἀγέ Παιονας ἀγκυλοτοξοὺς

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811. From *Il.* XI. 711. 1. προπάροιθε πόλιος. 827. 1. ἔδωκεν. 839. Omitted.  
 840. 1. ἄγε. 841. 1. Λάρισαν. 842. 1. Πύλαιος. 843. Inserted later, in  
 a small cursive hand. 844-847. Omitted.

- [τ]η[λ]οθεν ἐξ Ἀμυδωνος ἀπ Ἀξίου ἐνρῦ ρεοντος  
 850 [Α]ξί[ο]υ καὶ καλ[λ]ιστον ὑδωρ ἐπικιδναται αἶα·  
 [Π]αφλαγονων δ' ἡγεῖτο Πυλαιομενεος λασιον κηρ  
 ἐξ Ἐρετων οθεν ἡμιονων γενος ἀγροτερων  
 οἱ ρὰ Κυτωρον ἐχον καὶ Σησαμον ἀμφεφεμοντο·  
 ἀμφι τε Παρθενιον ποταμον κλυτα δωματα ἐναιον  
 855 [Κ]ρ[ω]μναν τ Αἰ[γ]ιαλον τε καὶ ὑψηλους Ἐρνεῖνους·  
 αὐταρ Ἀλιζωνων Ὀδιος καὶ Ἐπισιτοφος ἤρχον  
 τ[η]λοθεν ἐξ Ἀλ[υ]βης οθεν ἀργυρου ἐστι γενεθλη·  
 Μ[υ]σων δὲ Χρο[μ]ις ἤρχε καὶ [Εν]νομος οἰω[ν]ιστης  
 ἀλλ[λ] οὐκ οἰωνοισιν ἐρρυσάτο κηρὰ μελα[ιναν]  
 860 ἀ[λ]λ' ἐδαμῃ ὑπὸ χερσὶ ποδώκεος Αἰακιδ[αο]  
 ἐν ποταμῷ χρυσον δ' Αἰλεὺς ἐκομισ[σε] δαιφρων]  
 Φορκὺς αὖ Φρυγας ἤγε καὶ Ἀσκανίος θεο[ειδης]  
 τῇλ' ἐξ Ἀσκανίης μεμασαν δ' ὑσμινι μα[χέσθαι]  
 Μ[η]ῖσσι αὖ Μεσθλῆς τε καὶ Ἀντιφος ἡγησ[ασθην]  
 865 υἱὲ Ταιαίμενεος τῷ Γυγαίῃ τεκε λιμ[ν]ῇ  
 οἱ [κ]αὶ Μηιονας ἤγον ὑπὸ Τμῶλῳ γεγαωτ[ας]  
 Νά[σ]της αὖ Καρῶν ἡγησατο βαρβαροφονῶν]  
 οἱ Μ[ι]λητον ἐχό[ν] Φθιρων τ' ὁρος ἀκριτοφυλ[λον]  
 Μα[ι]άνδρου τε ρῶας Μυκαλῆς τ' αἰπεινα κ[α]ρηνά]  
 870 τῶν μὲν ἀρ' Ἀμ[φ]ιμάχος καὶ Ναστῆς ἡγησ[ασθην]  
 Νά[σ]της Ἀμφιμ[α]χὸς τε Νομίονος ἀγλαὰ [τεκνα]  
 ὅς καὶ χρυσον ἐ[χ]ὼν πολεμονδ' ἰεν ἤντε κ[ουρη]  
 ῥη[π]ίος οὐδὲ τ[ι] οἱ τ[ο] γ' ἐπῆρκεσε λυγρον ὀλ[έθρον]  
 ἀλλ[λ] ἐδαμῃ ὑπὸ χερσὶ ποδώκεος Αἰακιδ[αο]  
 875 [ἐν] π[ο]ταμῷ οθὶ περ Τρω[ας] κεραιῖζε κ[αὶ] ἀλλους]

850. l. οῶ (for καί), αἶαν. ι deleted after δ of ὑδωρ. 855. l. Ἐρνεῖνους. 856. l. Ἐπίστροφος. 859. l. ἐρύσατο. 861 and 875 are interchanged. 861. l. Ἀχιλεὺς. 864. l. Μήϊοισιν. 865. l. τῷ. 867. l. βαρβαροφόνων.

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- τουτ[ου τ]ου πο . . [ . . . . ] προ [τ]ης [Αχιλ]λεω Col. xxi  
 s μηνιδ[ος] ταδε[.]λ[ . . . . ] καθ Ομη[ρο]ν τις  
 θελησ[ας διηγησασθα]ι τουτον [το]ν τρ  
 οπον την διηγησ[ιν] ποιουμε[ν]ος ου  
 5 κ αν αμαρτα[νοι της α]ληθειας κατα  
 τους αυτους [χρον]ους ησαν επ{ε}ι μ  
 εν της Ευρ{υ}ωπ[ης] βασιλεις αλλοι δε  
 της Αχαι{ι}ας επιφα[ν]εστατοι ο[ι] Ατρεω  
 s παιδες του Πε[λ]ο[π]ο{ι}s του Τανταλ  
 10 ου του Διος Αγαμεμνων τε και Μεν  
 ελαος ουτοι δε τας Τυνδαρεω{s} και Λ  
 ηδας θυγατερας εγημεν Αγαμεμ  
 νων μεν Κλυταιμυστραν Ελενην  
 δε την εκ Διος Μενελαος επι δε της Α  
 15 σιας αων περι τον Ελλησπο[ν]τον το  
 πων καθ(ε)ιστηκει δυναστης Πρια  
 μ[ος] Α[αομε]δου[τ]ος του Ιλου τ[ο]ν Τρω  
 ος [τ]ου [Εριχθονιου το]ν Δαρ[δανου του Δι]  
 ος εκ μ[εν] της του Δυ[μαντος] θυ[γατρος]  
 20 Εκαβη[s] Πριαμος εγ[εννησεν] π[αιδα]  
 s εννε[α και δεκα ε]γ δε των πα[λλακι]  
 δων ε[να και τριακ]οντα ουτος [δε τη]  
 s Ελενη[s] . . . . .]νου καλλο[υς και σ]  
 ννεργο[ν] εχων Αφρ[οδιτην] επ[λευσεν]  
 25 εις Λακ[εδαιμονα] τ[ου] δε Μεν[ε]λαου κ[ ]  
 ατ εκεινον τον και[ρον] αποδη[μουν]  
 τος εις [Κρητην τοι]s βασιλεια[s] [ξεν]  
 ωθεις α[ . . . . . ]ενης κατα[

3. σ[as] supplied by Hunt.

12. l. εγ[ημαν].

15. αων: a mistake for των.

22. ο[υ]τος: Paris, though not already mentioned.  
of the *Cypria* by Proclus.

27. Cf. the account in the epitome

ενης κ[. . . . . Φο]ινικην συλ[  
 30 αρπασ[. . . . .]ντων διαπε[  
 μου π[. . . . .]πλησιασεν [  
 εντ[. . . . .]οτε μενα[  
 ω Ιλ[. . . . .]π εκεινης [  
 γο[. . . . .]ην φυγυ[  
 35 ]ατο του [  
 ]ησεν [

ν και πασι τ[οις] Ελλησι . . . νο . . . [  
 διαγανακ[το]ντες [ε]πι των [αδι]  
 [κ]ημάτων <α> [ε]σχεν αυτους οθε[ν συν]  
 40 [ο]μοσαντες μη προτερον εις [οι]κ[ο]  
 ν ανακαμψαι πριν την Ιλιον [σ]υν  
 ελιν· ως οι γ αμφιεπον ταφο[ν] Εκ  
 τορος ηλθε δ Αμαζω[ν] οτρηρ[η] θυγ  
 ατηρ ευειδης Πενθεσιλ(ε)ια

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29. Φο]ινικην: supplied by Hunt. 37. Probably continuous with 36. 38. αδικ or  
 ατυχ suggested by Hunt. 42. Cf. Schol. Townley, *Il.* XXIV. 804 ὡς οἳ γ' ἀμφιέπον  
 τάφον Ἑκτορος· ἦλθε δ' Ἀμαζών | Ἄρης θυγάτηρ μεγάλῃτορος ἀνδροφόνιοι. Both versions  
 are designed to link the *Iliad* with the *Aethiopis*, the next poem of the epic cycle.  
 43. Crönert rightly suggests Οτρηρη(ς), mother of Penthesilea by Ares, and refers to  
 Apollodorus, *Epitome* v. 1.

The rest of the column is occupied by coarse scribbling of the first two lines of *Iliad* I and other lines with stichometric note (AP]IOM[).

### 7. *Iliad*, Book II.

Inv. No. 742. Second century. (On the verso are accounts in a cursive hand of the second to third century.) Acquired in 1900. Height of roll 27·2 cm. Height of column 17·5 cm. Eight fragments with remains of four columns. 25 lines to a column. Written along the fibres. Large round calligraphic uncial hand. No stops or other marks, and no iota adscript. P. Oxy. i. 20, with plate; Oldfather 490; p<sup>15</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* II. 730-736, 745-754; 770-779; 780-803; 804-809, 814-828. *Il.* III. 185 is inserted after 798.

### 8. *Iliad*, Book II.

Inv. No. 886. Second to third century. Acquired in 1901. Four fragments from the last two columns of the book, the largest measuring 17·7 cm. x 4·1 cm.

No complete line. Written along the fibres. Fairly large thick rounded uncial of somewhat biblical type. Accents, elision marks, breathings. Oldfather 493.

*Iliad* II. 836-852, 864-877, with title. 843 Τευρα]νιδ[αο.

### 9. *Iliad*, Book III.

Inv. No. 1535. Late first century B.C. Acquired in 1906. 7.8 cm. x 4.5 cm. Parts of two columns, only a few letters surviving of each line. Written along the fibres. Fair-sized angular uncial hand. No accents or other marks. The dipole appears against ll. 207 and 211. P. Oxy. iv. 687, with plate; Oldfather 499;  $\text{p}^{67}$  in Allen.

*Iliad* III. 185-189, 207-216.

### 10. *Iliad*, Books III-V.

Inv. No. 1826 + 689 B. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1909 and 1896. Twelve small fragments, the largest 8 cm. x 4 cm. Width of margin 1 cm. Probably 40 lines to a column. Written along the fibres. Characteristic angular early uncial hand. No accents, breathings, or other marks. P. Hib. i. 20, with plate + P. Grenf. ii. 3; Oldfather 505;  $\text{p}^{41}$  in Allen.

*Iliad* III. 347-351, 354-356, 383-394; IV. 19-22, 55-61, 67-72, 80-83, 86-91, 98-102, 109-113; V. 525-532, 796-803.

### 11. *Iliad*, Books III-IV.

Inv. No. 136 (verso). First century. (On the recto are accounts of the reign of Augustus.) Acquired in 1889. 96 cm. x 31.2 cm. Last five columns almost perfect, the remainder more or less fragmentary. The number of lines is stated at the foot of each column and averages about 46. Written across the fibres. Rough uncultured uncial hand of medium size with cursive affinities. The hundreds were numbered on the margin. Occasional circumflex accent, as over the proper names Δελμος and Λελκος. The middle stop is used; within the line however it is placed over the end of the word in which the sense closes. Diaeresis occurs over *v* and *ι* in conjunction with other vowels. At the end of Bk. IV, after a short blank space, is written the first line of Bk. V to indicate the proper succession, and this is followed by the title ΙΛΙΑΔΟC. The text is the vulgate

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with many misreadings and misspellings of its own. *Classical Texts*, p. 93, with plate; Haebler 6; Oldfather 503;  $\text{p}^4$  in Allen.

*Iliad* III. 317-337, 342-375; IV. 1-28, 56-70, 74-80, 111-150, 159-192, 198-201, 208-245, 256-293, 303-345, 353-544. At the end of the roll is an additional sheet of papyrus, 18.2 cm. wide, containing a title and colophon, almost obliterated, in an artificial square hand of epigraphic type. As the document on the recto differs in date (probably later) and character from the document on the rest of the roll it is likely that this sheet does not really belong here.

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 ΕΓ[ΩΚΟΡ]ΩΝΙΣΕΙΜΙ>  
 ΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΩΝΦΥΛΑΞ  
 5 ΚΑΛΛΙΝΟΣΜΕΞΕΓΡΑ  
 ΨΕΔΕΞΙΑΧΕΡΙΚΑΙΓΟ  
 ΝΔ[ΑΝ]ΤΙΝΙΜΕΧΡΗ>  
 ΣΗΣΕΤΕΡΟΝΑΝΤΙ>  
 ΛΑΜΒΑΝΕΕΑΝΔΕΜΕ  
 10 [ΑΛ]ΕΙΦΗΣΔΙΑΒΑΛΩ  
 [Σ]ΕΥΡΙΠΙΔΗΑΠΕΧΕ  
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Ἐγὼ κορωνίς εἰμι γραμμάτων φύλαξ.  
 Καλλίνος μ' ἐξέγραψε δεξιά χερί  
 καὶ τὸν δ (i.e. τέταρτον)?  
 ἂν τινί με χρήσης ἕτερον ἀντιλάμβανε  
 ἐὰν δέ μ' ἀλείφῃς διαβαλῶ σ' Εὐριπίδῃ.  
 ἄπεχε.

3. κορωνίς: quite a number are sprinkled over the sheet. For the formula cf. the note from an xi cent. Gospels (Gregory 773) in *Harv. Theol. Rev.* xviii (1925), p. 280: κορωνίς εἰμι δογμάτων {θείων} διδάκαλος ἂν τινί με χρήσης ἀντίβιβλον λάμβανε οἱ γὰρ ἀποδότηι κακοί. 5. Unmetrical. Crönert identifies Callinus with the calligraphist mentioned in Lucian, *Adv. Indoctum* 2. 24. 6, 7. γονδ: perhaps τὸν δ, i.e. Bk. IV, in which case the number in l. 2 may be 7. Crönert suggests γονά (Doric form, C. being predominantly a Dorian name), implying a scribal tradition. ἂν τινί (Cr.). Traces rather suggest [μη]δενί. 10. The coronis encroaches on the last two lines. ἀλείφῃς, 'deface'. διαβαλῶ σ' Εὐριπίδῃ: supplied by Crönert, 'I'll report you to Euripides'. Does this line ultimately derive from an ex-libris of the tragedian? 11. ἄπεχε, 'take that' = 'be hanged to you?'

## 12. *Iliad*, Book V.

Inv. No. 127 B. Second century. Acquired in 1888. Scraps (largest 7 cm. x 3.6 cm.) with no complete line. Written along the fibres. Rough semi-

cursive hand, leaning somewhat to the left. *Classical Texts*, p. 98; Haeberlin 10; Oldfather 539;  $\text{p}^6$  in Allen.

*Iliad* V. 721-725, 731-743, 815-821, 845-850. 816  $\epsilon[\rho\gamma\omicron\nu\ \tau\epsilon\ \epsilon\pi\omicron\varsigma\ [\tau\epsilon$  from *Il.* XV. 234; 817  $\mu\omicron\iota\ \delta\epsilon\omicron\varsigma$ .

### 13. *Iliad*, Book VI.

Inv. No. 127 C. First century. Acquired in 1888. Scraps from two columns with no complete line. Written along the fibres. Fine careful slender uncial hand. Elision marks. *Classical Texts*, p. 98; Haeberlin 10; Oldfather 542;  $\text{p}^6$  in Allen.

*Iliad* VI. 90-107, 111-125.

### 14. *Iliad*, Book VI.

Inv. No. 1190. Second to third century. Acquired in 1903. 15.3 cm.  $\times$  6 cm., 30.5 cm.  $\times$  19.5 cm. Remains of four columns of 44 lines to a column. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand. Critical marks include the diple, antisigma, and asterisk, and agree in general with Venetus A. Occasional marginal notes and superscribed variants. The high point is usually employed, the middle point in ll. 477, 496. Breathings and accents are occasionally, elision marks generally, used. P. Oxy. iii. 445, with plate; Oldfather 543;  $\text{p}^{21}$  in Allen.

*Iliad* VI. 121-148, 173-199, 445-end.

### 15. *Iliad*, Book VIII.

Inv. No. 736 (verso). Second or third century. (On the recto fragments of various documents, in several hands.) Acquired in 1897. Fragments (largest 11.5 cm.  $\times$  10.5 cm.) of four columns with no complete line. About 48 lines to a column. Written across the fibres. Rather rough semi-cursive hand. Oldfather 555.

*Iliad* VIII. 1-22, 49-52, 63-65, 67, 95, 98-109, 111-120, 128-135, 139-144, 150-163, 173-192. 6 omitted; 115  $\tau\omega\iota\ \delta$  for  $\tau\omega\ \delta$ ; 118  $\tau\omicron\upsilon\varsigma\ \delta$  for  $\tau\omicron\upsilon\ \delta$ ; 183 omitted.

### 16. *Iliad*, Book VIII.

Inv. No. 1827+689 A. Circa 290-260 B.C. Acquired in 1907 and 1896. Very fragmentary with no complete line. Written along the fibres. Difficult to read owing to discoloration of papyrus. Small sloping uncial hand, its chief peculiarity being the archaic form of  $\omega$ . P. Hib. i. 21, with plate + P. Grenf. ii. 2,

with plate. Part of the same roll as P. Heid. 1261 (see Gerhard, *Griech. Literar. Papyri—Ptolemäische Homerfragmente*, p. 8). Belongs like No. 21 to the expanded version of the Homeric text, the relation of which to the vulgate is discussed in *Hib. Pap.* i, pp. 67 ff. Cf. also A. Ludwich, *Die Homervulgatà als voralexandrinisch Erwiesen* (1898), p. 56; B. P. Grenfell, *Fourn. Hell. Stud.* xxxix. 16-19; and now Bolling, *External Evidence*. Haeberlin 14; Oldfather 556; p<sup>7</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* VIII. 17-22, 24-32, 38-73, 180-184, 187-190, 203-206, 216-221, 249-253, 256-258 (with unidentified fragment). Additional lines (P. Heid. included) after 52 (4, all lost), 54 (4), 55 (4), 65 (9 ?), 197 (1), 199 (1), 202 (2 ?), 204 (1), 206 (1 ?), 216 (1 ?), 252 (2), 255 (1 ?).

### 17. *Iliad*, Book VIII.

Inv. No. 816. Second to first century B.C. Acquired in 1900. 3.7 cm. x 8 cm. Part of two columns; no complete line. About 34 lines to a column. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized undecorative uncial hand. A square shaped  $\epsilon$  occurs at the beginning of ll. 366, 367. P. Fay. 4, with plate; Oldfather 562; p<sup>18</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* VIII. 332-336, 362-369.

### 18. *Iliad*, Book IX.

Inv. No. 2037 C. Third or fourth century. Acquired in 1893. Fragment of leaf from a papyrus codex. 7.6 cm. x 10.3 cm. Probably about 50 lines to a page. No complete line is preserved. Small sloping uncial hand. Elision marks and occasional accents.

*Iliad* IX. 103-123, 155-178. 120 is omitted.

### 19. *Iliad*, Book IX.

Inv. No. 1862 F. Second century. Registered in 1910. 9.5 cm. x 3 cm. Only a few letters from the ends of the lines preserved. Written along the fibres. Round medium-sized uncial hand.

*Iliad* IX. 300-317.

### 20. *Iliad*, Book XI.

Inv. No. 1536. Late first century B.C. Acquired in 1906. 8.1 cm. x 4.5 cm. No complete line preserved. Written along the fibres. Rather irregular and unornamental uncial hand. P. Oxy. iv. 688, with plate; Oldfather 583.

*Iliad* XI. 172-183.

21. *Iliad*, Book XI.

Inv. No. 486 D. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 19 cm. × 6.3 cm. Ends and beginnings of lines from two successive columns of 20 and 19 lines respectively. Written along the fibres. Rather rough round uncial hand. P. Petr. i. 3 (4), with plate. Belongs to the expanded version (see above, No. 16). A revised transcript is in Ludwich, *op. cit.* p. 4. Haeberlin 17; not in Oldfather; p<sup>8</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* XI. 502-537. (Additional lines after 504, 509, 513, 514. One new line displaces the usual 529, 530.)

For *Iliad* XI. 505-602 and *Iliad* XII. 128-263 see Appendix, Nos. 250, 251.

22. *Iliad*, Books XIII-XIV.

Inv. No. 732. First century. Acquired in 1897. Height of papyrus 22.5 cm.; column (18 cm. × 9.5 cm.) of 37 to 40 lines. Written along the fibres. Square well-formed ornamental uncial hand. Originally without punctuation or other marks. Subscription with number of lines at the end of Bk. XIV. Transcribed by Hunt in *Journal of Philology*, xxvi (1899), 25-59. Plate in Kenyon's *Palaeography*, p. 97. Oldfather 594; p<sup>10</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* XIII. 2-34, 38-56, 73-87, 149-436, 456-674, 740-747, 769-775; XIV. 120-293, 332-354, 358-end.

23. *Iliad*, Book XV.

Inv. No. 2446. Third century. Acquired in 1922. 14.2 cm. × 9.1 cm. First halves of twenty-three lines. Written along the fibres. Upright calligraphic uncials of biblical type. On the verso, which is partly covered by strips gummed on in order to strengthen the roll, is some third-century cursive writing. P. Oxy. xi. 1392; Oldfather 603; p<sup>93</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* XV. 303-325.

24. *Iliad*, Book XVIII.

Inv. No. 127 A. Second century. Acquired in 1888. Height of papyrus 25.5 cm. Remains of 13 out of the original 14 columns. Average of 45 lines to the column. Written along the fibres. Upright rounded uncial hand of fair size. Accents and elision marks with occasional breathings in the original hand.

Title at the end. *Classical Texts*, p. 98; Haeberlin 10; Oldfather 619; p<sup>8</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* XVIII. 1-617, with gaps as indicated in *Classical Texts*.

### 25. *Iliad*, Book XVIII.

Inv. No. 107 (the Harris Homer). First to second century. Acquired in 1872. In two parts, 25.5 cm. × 73.5 cm. and 93 cm. Column (19.8 cm. × 9 cm.) of 41 to 45 (in one case 49) lines. Written along the fibres. Slender upright uncial hand, leaning if anything to the left. A marginal sign > is used between lines to mark the beginning of a speech or fresh episode. Only one appears to be by the first hand. None of the accents or other marks are by the first hand. The papyrus is stained a deep brown and is difficult to decipher. Transcribed with plate in *Cat. of Ancient MSS.* pt. i, p. 1. Plates also in *Pal. Soc.* ii. 64 and in E. M. Thompson's *Palaeography*, p. 126. Haeberlin 22; Oldfather 620; p<sup>11</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* XVIII. 1-218, 311-617.

### 26. *Iliad*, Book XXII.

Inv. No. 1545. Second to third century. Acquired in 1906. 17.8 cm. × 18 cm. Fragment of column of 26 lines. Written along the fibres. Squat, angular, outspread uncial hand. No punctuation or other marks. ε and ι are occasionally confused.

*Iliad* XXII. 449-474. 450 ου εργα; 456 πολιος for πολιος; 470 το, χρυση; 472 μουρια (πορε inserted above the line).

### 27. *Iliad*, Books XXIII-XXIV.

Inv. No. 128. First century. Acquired in 1889. Height 25 cm. Column 21 cm. × 11.5 cm. Average of 40 lines to a column. Written along the fibres. Fine round uncial hand of medium size. Corrections, insertions, accents, and other marks in a coarse later hand, which also supplied the first column of Bk. XXIV and the ends of the lines of the preceding column apparently torn off the original MS. Collated in *Classical Texts*, p. 100, with plate, and by W. Leaf in *Journal of Philology*, xxi (1893), p. 17. Transcript by Kenyon, *ib.* p. 296. Haeberlin 25; Oldfather 647; p<sup>13</sup> in Allen.

*Iliad* XXIII. 1-79, 402-633, 638-end; XXIV. 1-83, 100-144, 150-243, 248-282, 337-341, 344-351, 382-387, 402-479, 490-520, 536-548, 559-579, 596-611, 631-657, 671-729, 737-743, 754-759.

### 28. *Iliad*, Book XXIV.

Inv. No. 114 (the Bankes Homer). Second century. Acquired in 1879. 24 cm. x 232.5 cm. Column 19.5 cm. x 10.7 cm. 42 to 44 lines in a column. Written along the fibres. Round careful rather heavy uncial hand. The names of the several characters are written in minute uncials in the left-hand margin of the first line of their speeches, and the contracted form  $\Pi$  for  $\pi\omicron\iota\eta\tau\acute{\eta}\varsigma$  similarly indicates the narrative portions of the text. With few exceptions the breathings, accents, and other marks have been added by a later hand. Collated first by G. C. Lewis in the *Philological Museum*, i (1832), p. 177, and lastly by W. Leaf, whose collation is used by Allen. Described with plate in *Cat. of Ancient MSS.* pt. i, p. 6. Plates also in *Pal. Soc.* i. 153 and Thompson's *Palaeography*, p. 140. Haeblerlin 26; Oldfather 655;  $\mathfrak{p}^{14}$  in Allen.

*Iliad* XXIV. 127-end.

### 29. *Odyssey*, Book II.

Inv. No. 127 D. First century. Acquired in 1888. Scraps with scarcely one complete word. Apparently about 32 or 33 lines to a column. Written along the fibres in black ink. Large ornamental slightly backward-sloping uncial hand.  $\epsilon$  tends to compression and  $o$  to smallness. Elision marks; a stop occurs in the middle of a line. About 35 lines are represented.

*Odyssey* II. 34, 39-41, 62-64, 98, 183-185, 213-217, 221-224, 250-252, 254-257, 277, 278, 353, 354, 365, 369, 370, with two unidentified scraps. 213  $o\iota\ \kappa\epsilon\nu\ \mu\epsilon\ \epsilon[\nu\theta\alpha$ ; 214  $\epsilon\sigma\pi[ap\tau\eta\nu$  (*sic*).

### 30. *Odyssey*, Book III.

Inv. No. 271. Early first century. Acquired in 1893. Height of papyrus 33 cm. Height of column 20.5 cm., breadth (including margin) 16.7 cm. Remains of six columns of 35 lines with title at the end. Written along the fibres. Graceful, fairly large, uncial hand resembling that of Inv. No. 354 (see Kenyon, *Palaeography*, p. 82). A few accents and breathings, apparently by the first hand. Critical marks are placed against certain lines. Scholia in a small

cursive hand of the first to second century are written in the margins; among the authors quoted are Ammonius and Apion. Transcribed in *Journal of Philology*, xxii (1894), p. 238. Additional fragments of 267-497 in Vienna were printed separately by Wessely in 1894, but not included as proposed in *Mittheilungen aus der Sammlung der Papyrus Erzherzog Rainer*, vol. vi. Plates in Kenyon's *Palaeography*, p. 84, *Pal. Soc.* ii. 182, and Thompson's *Palaeography*, p. 123. Haeblerlin 27; Oldfather 665;  $\mathfrak{P}^3$  in Allen.

*Odyssey* III. 283-293, 319-327, 387-404, 422-end.

### 31. *Odyssey*, Book VI.

Inv. No. 817. First century. Acquired in 1900. Seven fragments (the largest 11.8 cm. x 16.8 cm.) with no complete line. Written along the fibres. Rough irregular uncial hand.  $\epsilon$  is closed and  $\mu$  is still angular. P. Fay. i. 7, with plate; Oldfather 678;  $\mathfrak{P}^6$  in Allen.

*Odyssey* VI. 201-203, 205-209, 255, 256, 258-263, 286-300, 325-328.

### 32. HESIOD, *Catalogue*.

Inv. No. 486 C. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 5.5 cm. x 6.7 cm. Remains of six lines with faint traces of a seventh. Written along the fibres. Fairly large angular uncial hand of early type. P. Petr. i. 3 (3), with plate; Haeblerlin 40. Fragment 21 in Rzach's edition (1908); 14 in that of Evelyn White (Loeb Library, 1914).

]ι τοῦ ἀνακτος  
 ]σι ποδωκῆς δι' Ἀταλά[τη]  
 Χαρι]των ἀμαρύγματ' ἔχ[ο]υσα]  
 ἀ]παναίνετο φῦλον ὀμιλ[  
 5 ]ειν γάμον ἀλφηστῶν  
 ] . ανισφύ[ . . . ] εινε[  
 ] . ςτ[ . . . ] . χ . . . [

*Catalogue* (Atalanta).

4. ὄμο[ιον], the reading of Rzach and White, is impossible. ι is certain and the traces suit λ. 6. τ[ανισφύρου] εἴνε[κα κούρης]?

33. HESIOD, *Theogony*.

Inv. No. 159. Third to fourth century. Acquired in 1891. Five fragments, the largest 21 cm. x 8.5 cm. Height of column 16.4 cm. Remains of three columns of 29 to 30 lines. Written along the fibres in very dark ink. Heavy square upright uncial hand of biblical type. Corrections, elision marks, and accents in a later hand. Stops by the first hand. Transcript by Kenyon in *Revue de Philologie*, xvi (1892), 181-183. Collation in Rzach. Haeberlin 37; Oldfather 376. The fragment unplaced by Kenyon reads  $\theta[ \mid \sigma\pi[$  and belongs to the foot of the third column, ll. 296, 297.

*Theogony* 210-297.

34. ARATUS, *Phaenomena*.

Inv. No. 273 B. Fourth century. Acquired in 1893. 5.2 cm. x 4.5 cm. Fragment of a leaf from a papyrus codex. Written in reddish ink, but the first gloss on the recto, by a different hand, in black ink. Medium-sized uncial hand. No punctuation marks; one smooth breathing by the original scribe and two accents added later. Transcribed by H. I. Bell in the *Classical Quarterly*, i (1907), p. 1.

*Phaenomena* 741-753, 804-816. 813 is omitted.

35. ARATUS, *Phaenomena*.

Inv. No. 484 E. First century. Acquired in 1895. Scrap 6.5 cm. x 2.8 cm. Beginnings of fourteen verses. Written along the fibres. Neat square uncial hand of small size (one example of *a* with loop in the left-hand corner). Collated with Maass's edition.

*Phaenomena* 944-957.

$\eta[$   
 945  $\gamma[αστερι$   
 $\eta \mu\alpha\lambda\alpha \delta[ειλαιοι$   
 $αυτοθεν [$   
 $\eta τρυζη [$   
 $\eta που και λ[ακερυζα$

946. Apparently the same reading as in Plutarch, *Quaest. Nat.* ii. 8: MSS.  $\eta \mu\alphaλλον$   $\deltaειλαι$ .  
 948.  $\tauρυζη$ : so AMI.  $\tauρυζει$  Maass.

950 κυματος [  
 η που και π[οταμοιο  
 ωμους εκ[  
 η πολλη σ[τρεφεται  
 και βοεις  
 955 ουρανον ειςανιδοντες  
 και κοιλης [  
 θασσον αυ[ηνεγκαντο

950. MSS. χείματος.

953. πολλη: so ACI. πολλά: so MS.

## 36. PANCRATES (?).

Inv. No. 1109 B. Second century. Acquired in 1901. 6.3 cm. x 7 cm. Portions of the tops of two columns in a small cursive hand. On the back are remains of writing in another hand. The names apparently of Hadrian and Antinous occur. A poem by Pancrates on that subject is preserved in P. Oxy. viii. 1085, and the present verses may quite likely belong to the same work.

*Hadrian and Antinous.*

| Col. i.        | Col. ii.                    |
|----------------|-----------------------------|
| ] . παρέξω     |                             |
| ] . . γοησαι   | 10 Ἀδριανὸς καὶ δ[          |
| ] . . . διδάξω | μυθησ . . . μα[             |
| ] . σα .       | ὃς δ' ἰδρῶτα κ[             |
| 5 ] . ρωμ .    | πῶς ἦν τις κα[              |
| Ἀν]τινόοιο     | ὃς δ' ἵππον θαρσ[           |
| ] . . πυκασσας | 15 ἄλλος [[δ'] ἐπιστάμ[ενος |
| ] υδαρ         | αὔχενας ἐστεφ[              |
| ] . . ο . ρ    | κάλλος ὅπως καὶ δ[          |
|                | Ἀντίνοος χλαιν . [          |
|                | ποσσὶ πένδιλα . [           |
|                | 20 δειρετ . . αν . [        |
|                | ] δεικ[                     |
|                | ] . . . [                   |

5. Πώμη? 8. α, ω unlikely.

12. MS. δ', ἱ.

14. MS. δ'.

17. Or κάλλος.

## 37. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1605 B (verso). Second century. Acquired in 1906. 6.8 cm. x 12.7 cm. Recto almost entirely blank. Remains of thirteen hexameter lines. Written across the fibres. Medium-sized semi-cursive hand. Acute accents are used apparently to mark the division of words.

] . μερον' εκ νεφεων α[  
 ]σαδεν' τοι δ ιθαρ υπε[  
 ]ας θ Ερμειας τε δεδ[  
 ]σφωϊν εην μετ[  
 5 ]να Διος' μαλα με[  
 ]γεραιότεροιο π[  
 ]πωνων υμνον[  
 ]σας κεκνυδ[  
 ]ν ουλομεν[  
 10 ]μετα[  
 ]υμομ[  
 ]μεγ[  
 ]π[

1. Traces suit ο, ω, or ρ.

## 38. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 970. Third century. Acquired in 1901. 18 cm. x 16.5 cm. Fragment of a column containing 31 hexameter verses, none perfect. Written along the fibres in very faint ink. Sloping cursive hand. The names of Apollo and Galateia recur. The poem is perhaps an epithalamium.

*Hymn or Epyllium?*

]η .[ . . . . . ]οτοκω τε γενέθλη  
 ]εις μεγεθ[ . . . . ]ον υμνοπολεύειν  
 ]σιν ερω[ . . . . ]θος μηνια λέκτρων  
 ]αρεον και λαβραγόρην [απο]λέσσεις  
 5 ]μελέεσσιν εφ . μερον[ . . . . ]ον εστιν  
 ] και τοιον εχεις [ . ]αλωμον ερώτων  
 ]ετρεωνος εχων χελ . γα . . . [

3. MS. λεκτρῶ.

4. Space too wide for ἀπο. Crönert suggests μ' απο.

- ] . . . . . χεῖ χορὸν ἀμφαγα. [  
 ] . . . . . κηπτὸς . . . . . [  
 10 ] αλελφειν τε π[. ] ρ[  
 ] διξειν ηνονα κούρη(ν)  
 ] . . ητης ερα[. . . . .] ος ἀμφὶ πολιτῶν  
 ] . ηγ Γα[λατεί]ην  
 ] . ευτε δαείη  
 15 ] ους ἔλε μῶνον  
 ] αρτατον αὐτὸς Ἀπόλλων  
 ] ποτ' ἔμαρπτε διώκων  
 ] . ος Γαλατείης  
 ] φεῦρεν ἐρώτων  
 20 ] παράκου[τιν ἐφ]εῦρες  
 ] . ν Γαλατείης  
 ] . . . ρ[. . . . .] . .  
 ] φωα[. . . . .] . . . υδον  
 ] υμη . . . . . η  
 25 ] οσσ . . . . ον . . . . . αειη  
 ] ων μη . εμ . ενι ἀγλαοείδης  
 ] οιντα καὶ Ἀπόλλων ατερυ . . .  
 ] . ψωσατο φοιολαν . αλμασι κείνοις  
 ] . αλος τε και ε[. . . .] ἥματι νύκτα συνάπτεις  
 30 ] ἐπέοικε τὸν ἀγλαὸν Ἀπόλλωνα  
 ] πρ . γατοροῦνα[. . . . .] πάλιν εἶπω  
 10. Probably = ἀδελφείην. 11. MS. κουρη. 25. δ]αείη? cf. l. 14.

## 39. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1181. Third century. Acquired in 1903. 11 cm. × 13.4 cm.  
 Fragment of leaf from a papyrus codex. Remains of 21 lines on the recto and  
 of 22 on the verso, which is much rubbed. Small sloping uncial hand. No  
 stops or other signs except the diaeresis. P. Oxy. ii. 214; *Archiv* i, p. 516 f.  
 The action is subsequent to the wounding of Telephus. See G. M. Bolling in  
*Amer. Journal of Philology*, xx (1901), pp. 63-69; Powell, *Coll. Alexandrina*,  
 pp. 76-78. Oldfather 264.

Epic on Telephus.

## 40. UNKNOWN.

## Plate I.

Inv. No. 273. Third or fourth century. Acquired in 1893. 21 cm. x 10 cm. Eighteen fragments from five or perhaps six leaves of a codex. The largest fragment contains parts of 58 lines, and is imperfect at the foot, so that the original number of lines is uncertain. Frs. 1-5 are from the tops of columns, frs. 6-11 from the bottoms of columns, frs. 12-18 from the centres of columns. Fragments which contain the beginnings or the ends of lines are sometimes blank on the back; this is owing to the width of margin. Very small, semi-cursive hand. No punctuation or other sign except occasional elision marks. ι adscript is usually written. At the foot of fr. 6 recto the number ]ζ denotes the end of a book. Fr. 1 was published in 1902 by Kenyon in *Album Gratul. in hon. H. van Herwerden*, pp. 134-142, and afterwards by A. Ludwich in *Berl. Philolog. Wochenschr.* xxiii (1903), cols. 27-30. A complete transcript by Milne appears in *Archiv* vii, pp. 3-10, with notes by Wilamowitz-Moellendorff. Fr. Hiller von Gaertringen in *Göttingische Nachrichten* (1923), pp. 24-26, attaches frs. 12 and 13 to the adventures of Heracles. Bidez in *Rev. de Phil.* xxvii (1903), p. 82, note, suggests Soterichus as author.

Late epic on Dionysus and perhaps Heracles.

## 41. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34473, art. 3. Fourth or fifth century. Acquired in 1893. 4.5 cm. x 6 cm. Vellum fragment from the top of a leaf. Remains of six hexameter lines on each page. Small sloping uncial hand. Profuse accents, breathings, and elision marks, and one high point, mostly by a later hand.

Hellenistic epic on Heracles.

αλλ' ἄλοχος τε παῖς τε· τ[  
 ου γάρ μοι τῶνδ' ἀμφ[  
 ὡς φάτο τὸν δ' ἄρα μ[  
 'Α[λ]κείδη γῆν μοι λ[  
 5 λ[α]βρότερ[ο]ς σέυε[σ]θ[  
 θα[. . . . .] . . [

3. μ more likely than ν.

4. Supplement by Crönert and Hunt.

]χέν· ἐς δ' ἄρα παῖδα  
 ὁ] δ' εἰς ἐμε μείδιαάσκει

2. 1. μείδιαάσκει.

πα]τερ ἡγήσ[ασ]θαι  
 ποτα]μοῖο περ[ησ]αι  
 5 ]γα δῖνεύεσκεν  
 ] . [ .

4. Supplements by Crönert. 6. Two dots above the line seem to indicate deletion.

#### 42. LUCAN, Book II.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34473, art. 6. Sixth century. Acquired in 1893. 1.7 cm. x 9 cm. Small strip of vellum from the binding of a manuscript. Remains of two hexameter lines on each side. Originally eighteen lines to a page. Large uncial hand.

*De Bello Civili* ii. 247, 248; 265, 266.

247 [Du]x Bruto Cato solus erit [pacemne tueris]  
 [In]concussa tenens dubi[o vestigia mundo]

265 [Ense mori quam]uis alieno uulnere laβen[s]  
 [Et scelus esse tuu]m. melius tranquilla sine [armis]

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#### 43. SAPPHO, Book I.

Inv. No. 739. Third century. Acquired in 1900. 20 cm. x 9.6 cm. One column of five incomplete stanzas in Sapphic metre. Height of column 11.3 cm. Written along the fibres. Good-sized, slightly sloping, uncial hand. Stops, accents, marks of quantity and of elision are occasionally used. P. Oxy. i. 7, with plate; E. Diehl, *Supplementum Lyricum*, p. 29 f., with copious bibliography, and again in *Anthologia Lyrica*, p. 336 f.; but the best basic text is now that of E. Lobel, ΣΑΠΦΟΥΣ ΜΕΛΗ (Oxford, 1925), pp. 2-3. Oldfather 1053.

*Ode to the Nereids.* 18. Perhaps Κυπ[ρ]ῃ σ[τ]ει[ν]α.

#### 44. PINDAR, *Partheneia*.

Inv. No. 1533. Late first century B. C. Acquired in 1906. 12.8 cm. x 49 cm. Remains of five columns containing parts of two odes (the second certainly a *παρθένειον*) in honour of Aeoladas. The metrical scheme of the second poem demands that eight or twenty-three lines should be missing from the tops of the columns. A loss of eight lines (the more likely supposition) would imply a roll about 20 cm. in height, with twenty-eight or twenty-nine lines to a column. Written

along the fibres. (On the verso is No. 61 in a slightly later hand.) Good-sized round uncial hand. Occasional accents, breathings, and stops (high and middle point). An elaborate coronis marks the beginning of each strophe, while antistrophes and epodes are commonly denoted by paragraphi. P. Oxy. iv. 659, with plate; *Archiv* iii, p. 480. Printed in Schroeder's edition (Teubner, 1914), pp. 304 ff., and in Diehl's *Supplementum Lyricum*, pp. 72 ff. Oldfather 983.

*Partheneion* and other ode.

#### 45. PINDAR, *Paeans*.

Inv. No. 1842 (verso). Early second century. (Titus is called *θεός* in a document on the recto.) Acquired in 1909. Height 18 cm. Fragments of at least nine poems. Column (including wide margin between columns) 12 cm. x 14 cm. Fifteen to sixteen lines in a column. Written across the fibres. The recto consists of two different documents, a list of persons and a land survey. Two hands are engaged, the first a good-sized uncial, round and upright but irregular and rather heavy, the second (which begins in Paeon ix) also of the round upright type, smaller and lighter, but firm and carefully finished. Breathings, accents, marks of quantity and elision, and diaereses freely supplied throughout. The high stop is the usual punctuation. The system of accentuation resembles that of the Bacchylides papyrus. Scholia are plentiful and a number of variants are recorded, sometimes with a statement of the authority. Paragraphi are employed at the end of strophes and antistrophes, accompanied at the beginning of new strophes by an elaborate coronis. The commencement of a new poem is marked by a separate sign. The symbol for 900 occurs opposite ii. 25 and for 1200 opposite vi. 7. P. Oxy. v. 841, with plates. Further fragments of Paeans vi and vii from Hermopolis are published in P. S. I. ii. 147. Published with copious bibliography in Schroeder's (Teubner) edition, pp. 273 ff., and Diehl's *Supplementum Lyricum*, pp. 52 ff. Oldfather 981.

#### 46. BACCHYLIDES, *Odes*.

Inv. No. 733. Probably first century. Found in a tomb at Meir (near Al-Kussîyah); see E. A. Wallis Budge, *By Nile and Tigris*, ii, p. 346. Acquired in 1896. Height of roll 24.5 cm. Length about 3.88 m. Perhaps two rolls are represented; cf. No. 47 from a roll containing the dithyrambs alone. Thirty-nine columns can be traced, with an average of 34-35 lines to the column, the extreme numbers in either direction being 32 and 36. Dimension of column 17.5 x 10.5 or 11 cm. Twenty poems are represented. Written along the fibres. Fine

angular uncial hand of medium size. The high stop is employed. Paragraphus and coronis mark off the metrical divisions. Accents, breathings, marks of length, and other symbols have been added profusely. Editio princeps by Kenyon (1897), with complete facsimile in separate volume. Among subsequent editions may be mentioned Jebb (1905) and the fourth Blass edition revised by W. Suess (Teubner, 1912). Körte in *Hermes*, liii (1918), pp. 113-147, proves that Kenyon was right in dividing Ode vii from Ode viii, and identifies the subject of the latter ode with Liparion. Some new placings of fragments by J. M. Edmonds, *Class. Rev.* xxxvii (1923), p. 148 f. Haeblerlin 46 (cf. also p. 490 f.); Oldfather 110.

*Epinician Odes and Dithyrambos.*

#### 47. BACCHYLIDES, *Dithyrambos*.

Inv. No. 2056. Second century. Acquired in 1914. 19.4 cm. x 9.3 cm. Remains of one column, originally of 46 lines, if the small detached fragment from the foot of a column is correctly identified with ll. 91, 92. Written along the fibres. Round upright semi-cursive hand. Accents and other marks generally added later. Attached to the top of the column is a vellum palimpsest σάλλυβος (2 cm. x 10 cm.) inscribed Βακχυλίδου Διθύραμβοι in a sloping uncial hand suggestive of the third century. The original title, as made out by Edmonds (*Class. Rev.* xxxvi, 1922, p. 160), ran Ἀντηνορίδαι ἢ ἡ Ἑλένης ἀπαίτησις, proving that poem to be the first of the dithyrambos. P. Oxy. viii. 1091. Collated in the Teubner edition (1912). Oldfather 109.

Ode xvi (xvii), 47-78; 91, 92.

#### 48. BACCHYLIDES, *Scolia (Encomia)*.

Inv. No. 2443. First century. Acquired in 1922. 18.1 cm. x 13.1 cm. (fr. 1). Forty-eight fragments, only three of any size. Column of twenty-five lines (fr. 5). Written along the fibres. Large round ornate uncial hand. Characteristic letters are ε and θ, of which the cross-bar commonly consists of a mere dot separated from the curved strokes. High and medial stops are used; accents, breathings, marks of quantity and elision, &c., have been inserted fairly frequently, mostly by later correctors and annotators. Strophes are not marked off as usual by paragraphi. P. Oxy. xi. 1361, with plate; *Supplementum Lyricum*, pp. 78 ff.; *Sokrates*, vii (1919), pp. 37-41 of Jahresberichte; *Archiv* vii, p. 139; Oldfather 111. Three more fragments are printed in P. Oxy. xvii. 2081 (e), one of which joins on to frs. 5 and 6.

## 49. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 693. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1896. 6.3 cm. x 8 cm.; 8.2 cm. x 5.2 cm. Two fragments, both from the bottoms of columns, containing portions of seven and nine lines respectively, in lyric metre. Written along the fibres. Large uncial hand with somewhat cursive tendency. P. Grenf. ii. 8; Haeblerlin 48; Oldfather 785.

Threnos. Fr. 1, 2. Perhaps ἀελ[ίου] δρόμον; 3 αὐγὴν νυκ[; 4 ἀντεφαε[ι]ν not ἀντεφλε[γε]ν; 1. 7 ]υγοτα not ]υτατα.

The next three numbers belong to the same type of poem, written in free metre and dealing with passionate themes. See *New Chapters*, p. 54.

## 50. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 605 (verso). Second century B.C. (On the recto is a contract dated in 174-173 B.C.). Acquired in 1895. 16.7 cm. x 20.4 cm. One complete column of 27 lines and the left-hand side of a second column of 21 lines, in irregular metre. Written across the fibres. Small cursive hand. Double point occasionally used, not always correctly. The stanzas are marked off by the paragraphus. P. Grenf. i. 1, with plates. An additional fragment was published in P. Grenf. ii, Appendix. Printed in O. Crusius, *Herondae Mimiambi*, pp. 117 ff.; in *Daphnis and Chloe* (Loeb Library), pp. 371 ff.; and in Powell, *Coll. Alexandrina*, pp. 177 ff. Analysed metrically in O. Schroeder, *Euripidis Cantica*, p. 178 f. Haeblerlin 115; Oldfather 881.

Alexandrian Erotic Fragment (the so-called *Fragmentum Grenfellianum*).

## 51. UNKNOWN.

Plate II.

Inv. No. 2103 (verso). Late second century. (On the recto are remains of a list of persons.) Acquired in 1920. 17.4 cm. x 9.8 cm. Written across the fibres. Rough illiterate cursive hand of an unintelligent scribe. Marks occur which may be meant for punctuation in ll. 10, 18, or for accent and breathing in l. 15. Frequent corrections and insertions, words being cancelled by brackets, or cross strokes, or both. A sort of refrain seems intended at ll. 9, 24. The metre, where intact, is anapaestic. Bell and Crönert identify the theme as the lament of the Sun for Phaethon, although the comparisons instituted are all with female mourners.

Monody.

- ἤδη σέ περ ὄντα πρὸ τοῦ πόλο(υ)  
 κλαύσω τάφον οἷα θανόντι  
 πρὸ τοῦ θανάτου στήσας  
 [[φαος]] τέκνον ἄρματα πάντα.  
 5 φαοσφόρος συ κ(α)λεῖται καὶ σὸν περὶ  
 τύμβον ἱερὸν φυτεύσω δένδρεα  
 χρύσεια [[τοῦ μων . α . . .]] [[πτεδασ]]ω  
 πτεδασω ν . . . θασιν ορ . . . νο . . .  
 στενάξω δεύτερον ἥλιον ὡς Κλυ-  
 10 μένη τῶον Ἡριδανόν . Κυβέλ[η]  
 σύ με δ' εὐδοδ . δασ . οὔτε[ . ]ν . [έν]  
<sup>νάπαις</sup> γαμέτην Φρύγα πῶς π[ . ]αγαμ[ . ]  
 ἔτεμες [[και]] περὶ τύμπον ἱερὸν[ν]  
 καὶ μέλος ἔλεγον ὅτε παρὰ π-  
<sup>αππαν</sup> <sup>σ . . .</sup>  
 15 [[τις]] γεγοναιγνήθαφιη [[ . . . ]]  
 [[ . . . . . ] . . . [ . . . ]εκαι . . . πτεδασω  
<sup>ἔχουσα τὸν ἄδωνιν ἔχουσα γῆ[μφο]ν σπείρο[υσα]</sup>  
 γῶνος Βιβλιά[[δε]]σιν ἔλεγον καὶ βρα  
 χὺς ὑμῆν ταν . . ασυνο . τιμα  
 με[[ . . ]]λη σῖστρον καλεῖς ὑφ' ἄρμα-  
 20 τα λήθη(ν) νυχίαν ἤδη . ε . . . τι . . .  
 . πας παρὰ κορ . . φυγε φέγγος  
 ἐμὸν σπευ[[σο]]ῖν ἐμάτευον ἀλλὰ  
 μένε· κλέω τέκνον ἔλιγον  
 ἐμὸν δεύτερον ἥλιον ὡς Κλυ-  
 25 μένη ἡῶον Ἡριδανόν.

1. MS. πολῶ: read by Crönert. 5. MS. κλειται = καλεῖ τε? 10. 1. ἡῶον, cf. l. 25. *ηριδαναν* seems nearer the traces, but cf. l. 25. 13. 1. τύμβον. 14. ἔλεγον: noun as in ll. 17, 23. 15. Perhaps Ἄτις and his other name Πάπας are here mentioned as they may be in ll. 20, 21. ἡ: so apparently MS. 1. Βαφίη for Παφίη? The letter however seems clearly θ, not the rather similar β. 17. 1. Βυβλιάσιν. 18. MS. ὑμην', apparently a stop, not an accent. 21. 1. παρὰ κόρην ἔφυγε? i.e. to the Underworld. π of παρα corr. from σ. 22. ἐμάγεον perhaps better. 23. 1. κλαίω, ἔλεγον.

## 52. UNKNOWN.

Plate III B.

Inv. No. 2208. Third century. Acquired in 1920; from Behnesa (Oxyrhynchus). 8.7 cm. x 7 cm. Twenty-one lines from the top of a column. Written along the fibres. Minute cursive hand. Metrical divisions are indicated by an oblique stroke doubled in the printed text. No division occurs after l. 15. There are no other marks. The stringy nature of the surface makes the lower part of the papyrus difficult to read. The situation, as interpreted in the main by Crönert, is somewhat as follows: A lovesick girl, returning from a παννυχίς, addresses her sister and her nurse, now together, now singly, who have thrown themselves at her feet (ll. 1-5, anapaests). One of these questions her (ll. 5-10, ionic dimeters) and urges her to confess her trouble (ll. 10-15, μείνυροι hexameters). Possibly, but less likely, these last lines may be the κῶμος of the lover heard from the street. Finally (ll. 15-21, anapaests) the girl replies, apparently to her father (reading πά-τερ in ll. 18, 19). Crönert, reading θύγα-τερ, makes the father or mother speak. Crönert suggests Βασανίζομένη or Ἐγκεκλειμένη as a suitable title.

Dramatic Lyric.

]. ρατὲ σώματα μαινόμεναι" καὶ μὴ  
καθυβρίζετε τρόπον ἐμόν" τί περὶ σφύρα μου  
δέμας [ἐ]βάλετε" ἐμὲ σύνγονε βάρβαρε παρακαλεῖς"  
ἰκέτις τροφὲ—ναί—πέπτωκας ἐμοῦ" φιλάδελφε πρόνοι-  
5 α λόγων ἀνέχῃ" πειραζομένη βασανίζομαι" οὕτω  
τι . [ . . . . ] ω . ν . . . το . . . . μένη—ναί"—καὶ πρόσωπα τύ-  
πτει κ[αὶ] πλοκάμους σπαράσ(σ)ει" νῦν ἔμαθον ἀλη-  
θῶς ὅτ[ι] πλ]εῖον οὐδ' ἴσθεις κατελθοῦσά τι λέξαι" ἔδει  
σέ με λιτ[αν]εῦσαι" καὶ οὐδ' παρῆν ἐμοὶ ποεῖν πάντα κε-  
10 λεῦσαι" θρῆνον ὑπερθεμένη λέγε παρθένε μοι τίνα  
ποθεῖς" εἰπὲ κόρη φανερώς ἀλγηδόνα μηδ' ἐ[μὲ]

3. σύνγονε βάρβαρε: a tragic parody, perhaps of the *Andromeda* as Cr. thinks.  
4. MS. ἰκέτις. φιλάδελφε etc.: Cr. translates 'O providentia quae sororem amat', i.e. 'O tu soror quae tantopere mihi consulis parce verbis' (l. ἀνέχον). 6. The metrical division is on the wrong side of ναί (Hunt). 6, 7. τύπτει, σπαράσ(σ)ει, middle voice. 8. οὐδ' ἴσθεις: so Cr. who compares Soph. *Electra* 4. 9. οὐδ': so Cr.

φόβου" εἰ θεός ἐστιν ὁ σὰς κατέχων φρένα[s οὐ-]  
 [δὲ]ν ἀδικεῖς" καὶ οὐκ ἐλθὼν γενέτην ἀγριώτατον  
 ἡμερα φρόνει" καὶ καλός ἐστιν ἔφηβος ὁ σὸς τάχα καί  
 15 συ δὲ καλή" ἐπικωμάζει καὶ μεθύει κοι-  
 νῆς δὲ φέρων πόθον Ἀφροδείτης αὐτὸς τ' ἐ-  
 φήβων ἄγρυνπον ὑπὸ κάλαμον ἀνόμαλόν τε  
 καὶ τοῦτον ἐὼ βραχύτατον ην . λ . . . μα πά-  
 τερ γεινώσκω ἕτερον . . . . . ἔτε-  
 20 ρον παρὰ παννυχίσιν . . . . .  
 το κατελθὼν ἐπὶ [

12, 13. [οὐδέ]ν: suppl. Cr. οὐκ ἐλθὼν: Cr. suggests οὐ θέλων nom. absolute  
 instead of gen. abs. 16, 17. ἐφηβῶν also possible. 1. ἀνώμαλον.

### 3. ELEGIAC AND GNOMIC

#### 53. SEMONIDES OF AMORGOS(?), *Iambi*.

Plate III A.

Inv. No. 1568 C. Early third century. Acquired in 1906. 5.8 cm. x 6.5 cm.  
 Bottom part of a leaf of a papyrus codex containing iambic trimeters written  
 continuously with stichometrical divisions. Each line contains more than two  
 trimeters and less than half the line is preserved. Small cursive hand. Occasional  
 accents, breathings, and elision marks. Symbols of doubtful meaning occur  
 opposite l. 9 and between ll. 10 and 11. Author and content identified by Crönert  
 who connects the present poem with Semonides, fr. 26 (Diehl), discovered by Crusius  
 and discussed by him in 'Paroemiographica' (*Sitzb. Mün. Ak.*, Phil.-hist. Kl.,  
 1910) pp. 102-105. The subject of the verso and probably of the recto is a dream  
 obtained by 'incubation' (ἐγκλιθεῖς, verso 10), a regular means of divination in  
 antiquity.

The Dream.

Recto.

. . . . .  
 ἐπεὶ γὰρ ἐγνων ὀλι[.] . . . .  
 παντα θάρσυνεν λεῶ" μενος [

2. εἴν: read by Crönert. ω: the circumflex doubtful; may be a letter.



] τῶν ἐνοικούντων γενῶν  
 ] εἰς ἔω τεῖναν δέμας  
 σκίδι[αντο  
 ] πᾶς Ἰω[ν' ἰ]δῶν  
 τῶν μὲν φυγ[όντων  
 ]μιου λ[. . .] . περί  
 εἰς εὐλάβειαν [  
 ]π[. . . . .]α  
 παθῶν δὲ δειν[ῶν  
 ]τ[  
 τ]ύχης γὰρ πλείστ[τ]α συ[  
 ]ρ[. . . . .]ων κατάσκοποι  
 Verso.  
 [οὔ]δας πατεῦσα ποσσὶν ἄπληκτος μόθῳ  
 ]ση πλείστον ἐγκατέδρ[α]σειν  
 φυλα[  
 ]ες ἐν μόθοισιν ἔστενον  
 ἀμηχά[νοισι  
 συμφορ]αῖς πονεύμενοι  
 ἀλλ' [. . .]αηρείου [  
 ἀ]μφαφώμενοι  
 ἄλλοι δ' [ἐπεσ]πεύσαντο [  
 ] κοιμωμένῳ  
 μῆδ[. .]λο . . ρης [  
 π]οσσὶν ἡσύχοις  
 ὕπνος [. .] . φροτον [  
 ]οῦς τεχνάσματος  
 [. . . .]ιστ' ὄνει[ρον  
 ]οισιν ἐγκλιθεῖς

54. ARCHILOCHUS (?), *Tetrameters*.

Plate IV A.

Inv. No. 2652 A (verso). Mid third century B. C. Acquired in 1925 with Zeno papyri (see No. 73). Remains of an account on the recto display a type of hand common in that archive. 5.5 cm. x 10 cm. Remains of eight lines, assigned

to the tetrameters of Archilochus by Crönert who compares fr. 56 (Diehl). Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand of early type. No lectional marks.

· · · · ·  
 ]νται νῆες (ἐ)μ πόντῳ θοαί  
 ]ολλον δ' ἰστίων ὑφώμεθα  
 ]τες ὄπλα νηὸς [[ιστι]] οὐρίην δ' ἔχε  
 ]ρους ὄφρα σέο μεμνέμεθα  
 5 ] ἄπισχε μηδὲ τοῦτον ἐμβάλῃς  
 ]ν ἴσταται κυκώμενον  
 ]μης ἀλλὰ σὺ προμήθεσαι  
 ]νμος

· · · · ·  
 3. [[ιστι]]: from the line above.

### 55. ARCHILOCHUS(?), *Tetrameters*.

Inv. No. 487 B. Third century B. C. Acquired in 1895. 16.7 cm. x 14 cm. Parts of two columns in trochaic tetrameters, the latter much obliterated and practically illegible, although the lines are fairly complete. Written along the fibres. Handsome uncial hand. No stops apparently. New readings in *Hermes*, xxxiii (1898), p. 656, and *Rh. Mus.* lv (1900), p. 102 f., by Blass who assigns the authorship to Archilochus and equates col. ii, l. 3 with Archilochus, fr. 71. These two lines certainly do not coincide, and the occurrence of what appear to be dramatis personae (Πι and Ασ) opposite col. ii, ll. 18, 20 forms a difficulty. P. Petr. i. 4 (2), with plate; Haeblerlin 61; Oldfather 222.

Col. i.

]ον παθεῖν  
 ἤ<sup>ῖξεν</sup>]πιοι φρένα  
 ]αράτος  
 σημ]άντορες  
 5 αἰχ]μητῆς ἑών  
 ]ερος  
 ]ς τελεῖν  
 ]ροτε  
 ]ύξεται

Col. ii.

παντ[. . . ]ινες γε . . . . [  
 φαινο[. . . . .]ωνδε εν μ . [  
 εἰ γὰρ ᾠ[. . . . .]ον μ  
 χωρ . [ . . . . .]ν  
 συνια[. . . .]  
 ειτ . . .  
 ἐς μεσον τα  
 μήτε τῶν καινῶν μετ  
 γῇ φόνῳ . . . . . ενη . .

Col. i. 5. κοσ]μητῆς Blass.

|    |               |                    |
|----|---------------|--------------------|
| 10 | ] . τιον      | .. ιλοφ            |
|    | ]ολε          | ...                |
|    | ] ἔχειν       | μ . . .            |
|    | ]σμενος       | πασ                |
|    | ]ταλ . υ . θη | τ . .              |
| 15 | ]ς ἔχων       | ..                 |
|    | ]μεθα         | .. υτ . .          |
|    | ] .           | ...                |
|    | ρι            | μερ                |
|    |               | ...                |
|    | ασ            | ...                |
|    |               | ...                |
|    |               | ω . ἐνημεθ . . . . |

56. PSEUDO-EPICARMUS (AXIOPISTUS?), *Gnomai*.

Inv. No. 1821. Circa 280-240 B.C. Acquired in 1909. 16.9 cm. x 14 cm. Fragment of a column with remains of twenty-six trochaic tetrameter lines. Written along the fibres. Finely formed upright uncial hand. No punctuation or other marks. Perhaps part of the preface of Axiopistus to his edition of the extracts. P. Hib. i. 1, with plate. Reprints by W. Crönert in 'Die Sprüche des Epicharm' (*Hermes*, xlvii (1912), p. 402); J. Demiańczuk in *Supplementum Comicum* (*Rozprawy Akademii Umiejętności*, ser. iii, tom. vi (Cracow, 1913), p. 327); and Powell, *Coll. Alexandrina*, pp. 219 ff. *Archiv* v, p. 552 f.; Oldfather 296. Cf. *New Chapters in Greek Literature* (1921), p. 19.

*Gnomai*, Introduction.

57. EPICARMUS, *Gnomai*.

Inv. No. 486 A. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 9.5 cm. x 9 cm. Fragment of a column from a florilegium, which contains also a quotation from Euripides (No. 71), imperfect on the left and at the foot. Written along the fibres. Upright uncial hand. No punctuation or other marks. Four lines headed 'Επιχάρμου. P. Petr. i. 3 (1), with plate; No. 297 in Kaibel, *Com. Graec. Fragg.*; No. 45 (a) in Diels' *Fragmente der Vorsokratiker*; Haeblerlin 45; Oldfather 47. See *Class. Rev.* xxxvi (1922), p. 165, where the last line is read χρημάτων ἄλλωι τε[λείν], not χρημάτων καλῶν (κακόν).

58. CERCIDAS (?), *Choliambi*.

Inv. No. 155 (verso). Third century. (On the recto is a medical treatise, No. 166.) Acquired in 1891. 28.5 cm. x 36 cm. Remains of three columns in choliambic metre. Only the middle one (11.7 cm. in height) is fairly complete. Lines to the column 20, 21, and 22. Written across the fibres. Very rough uncial hand. No punctuation or other marks. Published by G. A. Gerhard in *Phoinix von Kolophon* (1909). *Archiv* v, p. 556; Oldfather 976. See *New Chapters*, p. 17. Improved readings are given in *Class. Rev.* xxxvi (1922), p. 165, and in A. D. Knox, *The First Greek Anthologist*, 1923, and Powell, *Coll. Alexandrina*, pp. 213 ff.

In col. i, ll. 14, 15 read:

] . ε . [ . . ῆ ] θά[λασσα μὲ]ν πεζή  
 ἀν]θρόπου[σιν ἦ δὲ] γῆ πλωτή

59. CERCIDAS, *Meliambi*.

Inv. No. 2054. Second century. Acquired in 1914. Height of papyrus 18.2 cm. Width of largest fragment 33 cm. Columns (including margins) 11-12 cm. x 8 cm. Lines to the column 21-23. Written along the fibres. Upright, rather oval, uncial hand, with cursive marginalia. Accents, breathings, marks of length and punctuation often added later. With subscription *Κερκίδα Κυνὸς* [με]λίμβοι. P. Oxy. viii. 1082, with plate. Arranged metrically by P. Maas in *Berliner Philolog. Wochenschrift*, xxxi (1911), p. 1011. See also H. von Arnim in *Wiener Studien*, xxxiv (1912), pp. 1-27, and Wilamowitz-Moellendorff in *Sitzb. Berl. Ak.* (1918), pp. 1158-1164; *Archiv* v, pp. 553 ff.; *New Chapters*, pp. 1-12. An important article, with new readings and placings of fragments, by A. D. Knox, *Class. Rev.* xxxviii (1924), pp. 101 ff. Powell, *Coll. Alexandrina*, pp. 202 ff.; Oldfather 130.

60. POSIDIPPUS, *Epigrams*.

Inv. No. 589 A. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 15 cm. x 9 cm. Entitled on the verso *σύμμεκτα ἐπιγράμματα Ποσειδίπ[που]*. Last half of 24 elegiac lines from the foot of a column. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand. π, η, and μ are very similar. No punctuation or other marks. P. Petr. ii. 49 (a). See *Philologus*, liii (1894), p. 12. Haeblerlin 111; Oldfather 243.

Epithalamium for Arsinoe.



occurrence; a double point is once used in a dialogue (l. 11). A dislocation of two lines has apparently occurred at the top of col. ii. Decipherment is rendered difficult by the negligence of the writer and the discoloration of the papyrus. P. Oxy. iv. 662; *Archiv* iii, p. 484; Oldfather 26. The epigrams, all new save the first two, are: Leonidas and Antipater on Prexo of Samos (*Anth. Pal.* vii. 163, 164); Amyntas on the above Prexo and on the capture of Sparta by Philopoemen in 188 B.C.; Leonidas and Antipater on a certain Glenis, with the first two words of another which was left unfinished, apparently again by Leonidas.

Epigrams by Leonidas, Antipater, and Amyntas.

## 62. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 256 (recto, *b*). First century. From a composite roll described in P. Lond. ii, p. xxiv. Acquired in 1893. Fourteen lines in elegiac metre. Written along the fibres. Neat uncial hand. No punctuation or other marks. Published by Kenyon in *Revue de Philologie*, xix (1895), p. 177. Haeberlin 122; Oldfather 305.

Epigram on Augustus as victor of Actium.

## 63. UNKNOWN.

Egyptian Department, Inv. No. 29527. Waxed tablet. Second or third century. Writing exercise, consisting of four elegiac lines, in a schoolboy uncial hand. Published, with plate, by H. Diels in *Sitzb. Berl. Ak.* 1898, p. 857. Oldfather 311.

Conundrum on a letter.

## 64. PARTHENIUS.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34473, art. 4. Third or fourth century. Acquired in 1893. Extreme dimensions 9.2 cm. × 5 cm. Fragment from top of a vellum leaf. Remains of sixteen lines in elegiac metre on one side, and thirteen (much defaced) on the other, with marginal glosses. Small uncial hand. One mark of elision, col. i, l. 11 οὐτ' ἄλλοι. Identified by Crönert from the gloss on *δροίτη* in the Etymologicum Magnum.

Epicedium for Timander.

Hair side.

]λιος γλυκερῶν οὐκ ἀπέλ[αυσε γάμων]  
 ] εἵνεκα χαῖρε καὶ ὄφρα σ . [  
 ]χη τοίας φῦς ἐπιδεμν[άδος]  
 ] . τοίῳ Τίμανδρ' ἔπι δάκρυ[α  
 5 ]ν οἰκείης τῆλε κατὰ φθι[μένους]  
 ]ι εν ὀθνεῖη πεπυρωμένα λ[  
 ]α χαλαρῶν θῆκεν ἐπὶ σκόπε[λον]  
 ]θήην εἰ δὴ με φίλος μάλα πν[  
 ]ς ἀλγεινοὶ παιδὸς ἔχωσι ῥ[  
 10 ] . ομένου γὰρ ἔγωγε τε[  
 ]εχοι οὐτ' ἄλλοι σοι δι[  
 ]τα φίλος προτέρου [  
 ] . ο παρ' ευτελίου . [  
 ]ελεως εἴη δ[  
 15 ]ν τοίας . [  
 ] . ογ . [  
 . . . . .

Flesh side.

] λέγοι οὐ σύ γε φωτός  
 ]ιτεροιο νέκυν  
 ] ἡρείφθη μένος καγ[  
 20 ]φην σε κεύθει εἰς δρ[οίτην ?]  
 ]κουρ' λάϊ δροίτης σορός  
 ] κiónτες  
 ὀδ]υρόμεθα  
 ] πουλὺ πνέουσαν εισεσθῆ . [  
 25 ]ωθεῖ σης  
 ]α λεπτοῦ εισεσθῆ . [  
 ] . ι μάχλωι  
 ]ν  
 ]ους  
 . . . . .

1. Suppl. by Crönert. λι, perhaps ν. 3. Suppl. by Crönert who translates 'tali natus lecti socia=matre'. 6. λ, perhaps χ. 7. χαλαρῶν: read by Crönert. 11. ι: ρ perhaps better. 13. Perhaps a proper name though nothing similar seems to be known. 14. δ: λ also possible. 19-21. No line is satisfactory. 19 reads like an iambic, not a hexameter. 20 ought to be pentameter and ends as a corrupt hexameter, while 21 is also hexameter and 22 as well. The gloss καγ[ opposite 19 may be read κατ[. The gloss opposite 20 is extremely faint. In 21 λα is inserted above the line between ρ and ι. σορός: cf. E. M. (δροίτη . . . Παρθένιος δὲ τὴν σορόν). 24. The gloss very faint. 25. ρ, perhaps ι or ρ. 26. Very faint gloss.

## 65. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 589 B. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 10 cm. x 3.7 cm. Fragment of cartonnage difficult to decipher. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand similar to that of the Posidippus, No. 60, but slightly larger. From the Petrie Papyri, but not previously described.

Uncertain, but apparently verse.

]με . [  
 ]τε . [  
 ]μ . . . . [  
 . . . . .

]οπαρ[  
 5. αντ[.]τονυμ[  
   τη . . ην εκ[  
   ωθ . . απ οφθα[λμ  
   . . . . ρετ . . ωκ[  
   . . . . ομμενε . . [  
 10 κ . . πυθοι . . . . [  
   κ . . ονη . . . . [  
   [. . .]πουναμ[  
   . λευ . . νστ[

## 4. DRAMA AND MIME

66. SOPHOCLES, *Eurypylus*.

Inv. No. 2069. Late second century. Acquired in 1914. In size apparently uniform with the *Ichneutae* papyrus (No. 67) and in the same hand. Very fragmentary. Accents, breathings, punctuation marks, marks of long or short quantity, and marginal notes. A curved ligature connecting parts of words is twice used, and the diastole is several times employed to separate words. P. Oxy. ix. 1175, with plate, and P. Oxy. xvii. 2081 (b); *Archiv* v, p. 563 f.; Hunt, *Tragg. Graec. Fragg. Pap.* no. 2; Pearson, *Fragments of Sophocles*, i, nos. 206-222; Oldfather 1080.

67. SOPHOCLES, *Ichneutae*.

Inv. No. 2068. Late second century. Acquired in 1914. Height 18.3 cm. Remains of seventeen columns more or less complete with forty small fragments. Column of 26 to 27 lines, inclining slightly to the right. Choral odes are distinguished from iambics by indentation and the parts of an iambic verse which is divided between two or more speakers are written below one another in separate lines. Written along the fibres. Oval, slightly sloping, uncial hand. Paragraphi and diaereses inserted by the original scribe, as also the stichometrical figures marking off the lines by hundreds. To the reviser may be generally attributed stops, usually in the form of a high dot, accents, breathings, marks of elision, and long or short quantity, all fairly frequent; also occasional symbols including a low-placed comma to separate words, the coronis marking the

beginning and end of the first chorus, and the  $\chi$  surmounted by an iota sometimes inserted as a *nota bene* in the left margin. The reviser has also corrected the text and inserted a number of various readings, quoting most frequently the authority of Theon, occasionally, it appears, that of Aristophanes, and once perhaps Nicanor. Explanatory notes are rare. The dramatis personae are specified here and there;  $\rho\omicron\iota\beta\delta\omicron\varsigma$  occurs as a stage direction in the body of the text at col. v. 2. P. Oxy. ix. 1174, with plate, and P. Oxy. xvii. 2081 (a); *Archiv* v, pp. 558 ff.; Hunt, *Tragg. Graec. Fragg. Pap.* no. 1; Pearson, *Fragments of Sophocles*, i, no. 314; Oldfather 1084.

#### 68. SOPHOCLES (?), *Niobe* (?).

Inv. No. 690 A. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1896. Four fragments, the largest 8.2 cm.  $\times$  7 cm. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand. P. Grenf. ii. 6 (a), with plate. Attributed by Blass to the *Niobe*, *Lit. Centralbl.* 1897, p. 334, and revised text published by the same author in *Rhein. Mus.* lv (1900), pp. 96 ff. Pearson, *Fragments of Sophocles*, ii, nos. 442-445; Haeberlin 66; Oldfather 223.

#### 69. SOPHOCLES, *Oedipus Tyrannus*.

Inv. No. 743. Fourth or fifth century. Acquired in 1900. 8 cm.  $\times$  9.3 cm. Upper part of leaf from a papyrus codex. Top margin 3 cm. Remains of 11 lines on the verso and 13 on the recto. Written in brown ink, which has faded considerably. Small, round, upright, formal uncial hand. Corrections in a contemporary but less literary hand, to which the accents and other signs (except elision marks and paragraphi) are apparently due. On the right-hand corner of the verso is the page number  $\rho\iota$  in black ink. Several variants of interest occur. P. Oxy. i. 22; *Archiv* i, p. 110 f.; Oldfather 1075. Collated in the Oxford text (Pearson).

*Oed. Tyr.* 375-385, 429-441.

#### 70. EURIPIDES, *Antiope*.

Inv. No. 485. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 21.7 cm.  $\times$  18.8 cm. Remains of four columns. Height of column 16.5 cm. 36 or 37 lines to the column. Written along the fibres. Small, firm, rather uneven, uncial hand. No punctuation or accents. The paragraphus is used to distinguish speakers. P. Petr. i (1 and 2), with plates; H. v. Arnim, *Suppl. Euripid.* (*Kleine Texte*, no. 112), pp. 18 ff.

See also A. Taccone in *Riv. di Filologia*, xxxiii (1905), pp. 32-65, 225-263; N. Wecklein, *Philologus*, lxxix (1923), pp. 51-69. Haeblerlin 51; Oldfather 339.

### 71. EURIPIDES, *Antiope*.

Inv. No. 486 A. Third century B. C. Acquired in 1895. 9.5 cm. x 9 cm. Three lines from a florilegium, preceded by an extract from Epicharmus (No. 57). Written along the fibres. Upright uncial hand. No punctuation or other marks. P. Petr. i. 3 (1), with plate; v. Arnim, *Suppl. Euripid.* p. 14; Haeblerlin 52; Oldfather 47.

*Antiope* (Nauck 198).

### 72. EURIPIDES, *Electra*.

Inv. No. 1524. Mid third century. (Account in a cursive hand of the late third century on the verso.) Acquired in 1906. 15.7 cm. x 9.2 cm. Fragment from the top of a column with parts of twenty-two lines. Written along the fibres. Angular uncial hand. No punctuation. An apostrophe occurs between γ and κ of ἀνευγκας, l. 11. P. Oxy. iii. 420; *Archiv* iii, p. 277; Oldfather 328.

Argument covering ll. 341-584.

### 73. EURIPIDES, *Hippolytus*.

Plate IV B.

Inv. No. 2652 B. Mid third century B. C. Acquired in 1925 with a large collection of Zeno papyri and probably belonging to that archive. 9.3 cm. x 11.5 cm. Remains of two columns, originally of 27 lines. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand of early type. No lectional marks. The general soundness of the MS. tradition is confirmed, but there is one improvement in l. 1194 ὑπῆγε. Collated with the Oxford edition (Murray).

*Hippol.* 1165-1179, 1194-1204.

Col. i.

1165 [οτου κατησχυν αλοχο]ν ως πατρος βια[ι]  
[οικειος αυτον ωλεσ α]ρματων οχος  
[αραι τε του σου στομ]ατος ας συ σωι πατρι  
[ποντου κρεοντι π]αιδος ηρασω περι

E 2

- [ω θεοι Ποσειδον θ] ως αρ ησθα εμος πατηρ  
 1170 [ορθως ακουσας τω]ν εμων κατενυγματων  
 [πως και διωλετ ε]ιπε τωι τροπωι δ[ικη]ς  
 [επαισεν αυτον ρ]οπ(τ)ρον αισχυναντα [με]  
 [ημεις μεν ακτη]ς κυμοδεγμονος πελας  
 [ψηκτραισιν ιππ]ων εκτενιζομεν τριχας  
 1175 [κλαιοντες ηλθε γ]αρ τις αγγελος λεγων  
 [ως ουκετ εν γηι] τηιδ αναστρεφοι ποδα  
 [Ιππολυτος εκ σο]υ τλημονας φυγας εχ[ων]  
 [ο δ ηλθε ταυτον] δακρυων εχων με[λος]  
 [ημιν επ ακτας μυ]ρια [δ οπισθοπους]

1172. αισχύναντά με: so M<sup>2</sup> rell. against MA αισχύναντ' ἐμέ.  
 so MAVO.

1176. ἀναστρέφοι:

Col. ii.

- 1194 καν τωιδ υπηγ[ε κεντρον ες χειρας λαβων]  
 πωλους αμαρτηι π[ροσπολοι δ υφ αρματος]  
 πελας χαλινων ειπ[ομεσθα δεσποτηι]  
 την ευθυς Αργους κα[πιδαυριας οδον]  
 επει δ ερημον χωρο[ν εισεβαλλομεν]  
 ακτη τις εστι τουπ[εκεινα τησδε γης]  
 1200 προς ποντον [ηδη κειμενη Σαρωνικον]  
 ενθ[ε]ν τις ηχω [χθονιος ως βροντη Διος]  
 [β]αρυν βρομ[ον μεθηκε φρικωδη κλυειν]  
 [ορθο]ν δε κρα[τ εστησαν ους τ ες ουρανον]  
 [ιπποι π]αρ η[μιν δ ην φοβος νεανικος]

1194, 1195. ὑπῆγ[ε] πῶλους: MVO ἐπῆγε πῶλους. If sound, apparently this means 'touch up the horses', not, as normally, 'yoke the horses' or 'lead on the horses'. Most editors read πῶλους and take κέντρον with both verbs, but this is unnecessary with ὑπῆγε. 1195. ἀμαρτῇ: ὁμαρτῇ is the usual post-Homeric form.

#### 74. EURIPIDES, *Hypsipyle*.

Inv. No. 590. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 18.8 cm. x 7.6 cm. Height of column 13.8 cm. Lines incomplete at both ends. Twenty-one lines (one left blank) to the column. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial

hand of early type. For so early a MS. the text is surprisingly inaccurate. P. Petr. ii. 49 (c). Identified and edited by Fr. Petersen in *Hermes*, xlix (1914), pp. 156-158, 623-626, and incorporated in the edition by G. Italie, *Euripidis Hypsipyla* (Berolini, 1923), pp. 36-38; see also the review by E. Lobel, *Class. Rev.* xxxviii (1924), p. 43. Haeblerlin 63; Oldfather 221.

*Hypsipyle*, including P. Oxy. vi. 852, fr. 22, ll. 10, 11, and fr. 60 to l. 19, omitting l. 10. The following readings are substantiated: 2 ἀνλαξεσαιλ[; 3 μῆ-κυνεις μ[; 6 τ or γ... μοι, διω; 7 ἐχρ[η]ν παιδα; 13 ὠλενμεμο[.

#### 75. EURIPIDES, *Phoenissae*.

Ostrakon No. 18711 in the Egyptian Department. Second century B.C. Outer surface 9.5 cm. x 13 cm. Written on both sides in a practised cursive hand of the Ptolemaic type. Perhaps for use in school, but certainly not written by a schoolboy. The writing on the outer side is rather faint. Ten lines on the outer and eleven on the inner side remain in whole or in part. Published by H. R. Hall in *Class. Rev.* xviii (1904), p. 2. The last letter of l. 5 (reverse side) is probably κ not ν. Oldfather 330. Collated in the Oxford text (Murray).

*Phoen.* 106-118, 128-140.

#### 76. EURIPIDES, *Phoenissae*.

Inv. No. 783. Late second century (cf. P. Oxy. i. 25 and iv. 661). Acquired in 1900. 23.5 cm. x 21.3 cm. Parts of two columns, the first of 29 lines. The lyrical portion is indented. Written along the fibres. Heavy round uncial hand resembling that of the great biblical codices. Stops, a few accents, and dots apparently denoting a correction in ll. 1036, 1037, have been added later in lighter ink. The apostrophe separating the γ and μ of στεναγμος in l. 1039 a is by the original scribe. P. Oxy. ii. 224; *Archiv* i, p. 510; Oldfather 332. Collated in the Oxford text (Murray).

*Phoen.* 1017-1043, 1064-1071.

#### 77. NEOPHRON (?), *Medea*.

Inv. No. 186 (verso). Second or third century. Acquired in 1891. Four fragments, the largest 24 cm. x 13.5 cm. No complete column or line. Written across the fibres (on the verso of metrological computations). Rough semi-cursive hand. No stops occur; the paragraphus is used once and the apostrophe three times.

Published by Crönert in *Archiv* iii, p. 1, and by S. Mekler in *Philologus*, lxx (1911), pp. 492-498, who uses the editions of Crönert and S. Eitrem with collation of H. I. Bell. See also C. Fries, *Neue Jahrb. f. Kl. Alt.* xiii (1904), p. 171 f. The fragments are obviously from the beginning of the play, as Medea makes her first address to the chorus in fr. 3. Fr. 2 contains a stichomythia between Medea and some older person who addresses her as τέκνον, l. 24. In the large fragment (fr. 1) Jason and another character conduct a dialogue. The occurrence of the direction χοροῦ in fr. 3 proves the play post-classical. Haeblerlin 62; Oldfather 903.

## Fr. 1.

|    | Col. i.                                        | Col. ii.                         |
|----|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|    | ]βιος                                          | .]εν[. . . K]ρέοντος . [         |
|    | ] . εἰγα . .                                   | ἐνταῦθα ἀνέιται π[               |
|    | ] . α                                          | καὶ νῦν τριταῖον ἤμ[αρ           |
|    | ] . . ους . . σας                              | Αἰγεὺς λιπὼν παρη[               |
| 5  | ]ε . . . . .                                   | 5 δάμαρτι κοινοῦς [              |
|    | ]                                              | ταῦτ' οὖν ἀθρῶν δυ[              |
|    | ]                                              | καὶ οὐκ οἶδα ὅπη . η[            |
|    | ]ι .                                           | ὁμοῦ φυγ . . . ραπορ . [         |
|    | ]τρην . .                                      | κακοῖς ἐσῶ . . . θυμ . . [       |
| 10 | ] . ραν                                        | 10 ἄναξ Ἰᾶσον π . . . α . . . [  |
|    | ] . s                                          | εὐνοῦν . . . . . ἀτοῖν[          |
|    | ]ιλατῆ .                                       | κέκευθε φροντίς [                |
|    | ] . . [                                        | αἰεὶ ματα . . . . . [            |
|    | ] . . . . [                                    | καίει γὰρ [ . . ] δ . ὅς [       |
| 15 | ] . . . [                                      | 15 οὐ τοῖς ἀπ[ . . ] . . . . . [ |
|    | ] . . . [                                      | α[ί]ει καρα[ί]                   |
|    | ] . . . [                                      | . . . . . ὡγε[                   |
|    | ] . . . κρα[                                   | . α . αρ σν[                     |
|    | ]ειναῖ λα . μ . νδ . . . . σ .                 | . . τ . υξ' ε[                   |
| 20 | ]ρεσιν δυσηκα . . υς . νοδρε .                 | 20 . οξ' ης δερ[                 |
|    | ] . α μωροῦς . ε . . . . ω . . τα . . . . . υν | βρε . . . ερ[                    |
|    | ] . . ασθεῖσα προσθ' . . . . .                 | δος . . . ι[                     |
|    | ] . . . . λα[.]ας . . . . υνο . . . .          | χρυσ[ο]υ[                        |

Col. i. 9. Perhaps σθένης.

Col. ii. 12. φροντίς: read by Crönert.

19. MS. ξ'.

|    |                                    |                       |
|----|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
|    | ] . . . λλ . . . εκπάλιν . . . . . | καὶ προσθ[            |
| 25 | ]ας κατεῖχες . σιῖοιαπροι . .      | 25 νῦν δ' εἰς [       |
|    | ]εν δηλο . . . . .                 | οὐκο[ν] ἀλ[           |
|    | ] . . ημας . . . . . οῖν           | κανων . [             |
|    | ]ικων γα . . . . .                 | ἄλλου . . [           |
|    | ]εροντ . . . . .                   | ἐθηνη [               |
| 30 | ] . . . γ . . . . .                | 30 σθ . . . [.] . . [ |
|    | ] . . . . .                        | ἄτης . . . [          |
|    | ] . . . . .                        | τὰ προδ[ς] πα[        |
|    | ]ε . . . . .                       | ῶσ . . . . . [        |
|    | ] . . . . . η                      | ῶσθ . . . . . [       |
| 35 |                                    | 35 εἰμ . . . . . [    |
|    |                                    | κα . . . . . [        |
|    |                                    | ε' . . . . . [        |
|    |                                    | δηλο . . . . . [      |
|    |                                    | . . . [               |
|    |                                    | 40 . . . [            |

Fr 2.

|    |                                        |
|----|----------------------------------------|
|    | ] . . [                                |
|    | ]ων ἄγαν [                             |
|    | ]αγωγη[.]τη . . πρὶν ἐξίδης [          |
|    | ]ννο[ν] εὐ . . . λαις πειν δοκεῖς [    |
| 5  | ] . . . ι . . μ . . . . . τερους μελε[ |
|    | ] . . ε . . . . . ο κωλευσαν δικ[      |
|    | ]ηθ' οὐτος εὐτόνω φλεβί                |
|    | ] πώπ[ο]τ' [.]β[.] . . ]ν δεδεγμ[ε]νων |
|    | ]ρο . . ε . οἱ λελεγμένοι [λό]γοι      |
| 10 | ]δοῖν καταπιεῖν δ' οφρων               |
|    | ]είσορᾶν ἅ χρῆ                         |
|    | ] . ἦ δ[ια]σφάλλει νόον                |
|    | ] . τῆσδε γῆς Κρέων ποεῖ               |
|    | ]ρως πᾶσι κηρύχθη πάλαι                |

7. φλεβί, a coarse word for tragedy, but cf. κέρας, l. 19. 10. MS. δ'.

- 15 ]οὔντες ὥς καλῶς ἐγνωκότες  
 ]εον τυφεδόνο<sup>ς</sup> εὐδόξου δὲ ὑ[φ]οῦ  
 ]παντι τοῦμπαλιν σ[ά]φ' οἶδ' ἐγώ  
 ] . σω παῖδας ἐν μηροῖ<sup>ς</sup> ἔχ[ε]ι  
 ]ρθ' ἔχθιστος εὐφλεβέ<sup>ρας</sup>ς κέα<sup>ρ</sup>  
 20 ] . οισχω[.]τε ἀθλίας δόξης κρι[  
 [οὐ]κ ἂν δυνάιμην εἰσορᾶν ὅσσοισι [σοῖς?]  
 ]ον κοίμιζε σὰς κόρας α[  
 ἐ]κεῖ γε· τὸ αὐτὸ γὰρ πραχθή[σεται]  
 ] . εγα[. . .]ον νοσεῖν ἔφν τέκνον<sup>διο</sup>  
 25 ]νδ ἦ κεκρυμμένων μ[  
 ]σαι τῶνδε δωμάτων[ν] ἄπο  
 ] κοίμησον ἡρεθισμ[έν . . .]  
 ]ρον ο[ὐ] κακῶν ἐπ[  
 ]ρω ταῦτα [μ]ὴ φέρει[  
 30 ]ορθιμῶς μα[  
 ]ηκ[. .] . . [

16. τυφεδών = τῦφος, 'conceit'? δευ : a high dot between ε and υ may be a sign of division. 17. MS. οἶδ'. 19. εὐφλεβές : a new word. With κέα<sup>ρ</sup> would mean full-blooded, soft? κέα<sup>ρ</sup> has supplanted the coarse word κέρας which is vouched for by μηροῖς in the line above. εὐφλεβές would then derive from φλέψ = membrum; cf. l. 7 above.

## Fr. 3.

- . . . . .  
 ]νπερη  
 ]ονος  
 ] . . . . . ινσα [.]α[ . . . . .]εξη λόγους  
 χοροῦ  
 5 [φίλαι γ]υναικες αἱ Κορίνθιον πέδον  
 [οἶκε]τε χώρας τῇσδε πατρώοις νόμοις  
 ] . . . . . το καὶ ἐξεπίσταμαι [καλῶς]  
 ] . . . . . ορφανη . . . . . νιων

1. Follows perhaps immediately after fr. 2, l. 31.

## Fr. 4.

|                                                              |                                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| . [ . ] .<br>]τεκνω[<br>δ]άμαρτος σῆς [<br>] . . ο . . . . [ | 5 ]γησε . [<br>] . . . α . [<br>]δαμ[ |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|

## 78. UNKNOWN TRAGEDY.

## Plate V.

Inv. No. 2560. Late second century. Acquired in 1924. 21 cm. x 10.4 cm. Column of 28 lines, only the left side preserved. Margin at top 4.7 cm. Written along the fibres. Round medium-sized rather heavy uncial hand of biblical type. The high stop occurs once, l. 18. Accents are occasionally employed to facilitate reading, and the apostrophe mark is occasionally inserted. The situation would suit Iphigenia, cf. the unholy resolve in ll. 2, 3, and the talk of marriage and sacrifice in ll. 17–28.

*Iphigenia* (?).

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| εκ προστροπα[<br>κεκρανται . . [<br>θεοις αθεμιστος[<br>Ταλθυβιε κηρυξ' εἰπ' αλη[<br>5 οπως ονησιν[<br>στεργεις γενο[ιτο<br>ειπόντι μεν σοι παν[<br>γένοιθ οπως λ[<br>ου γαρ σε τουτω[ν<br>10 ψευδη δε πρεσβε[ι<br>εκ των δ επακ[τ<br>Ερμης σε παντω[ν<br>κηρυκα κηρυξ' ε[ | υμεναιον αχάθ[<br>μέλπωσιν' οσμη[<br>. . λλωγασαι προ[<br>20 ευθυμiais πεμ . [<br>γαμηλιον πρασ[σ<br>χωρις θανοντω[ν<br>ει δ αυ γαμειται κ[<br>ως ανδρι δωσειν[<br>25 μηδε σκύνθισμος[<br>κ[ε]υθηι σιδηρωι κρ[<br>[ . ] ποιτ' ονωντ . [<br>[τα δ]ακρυα μηδε[ |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|

4. A new scene begins after a choral interlude. 13. κηρυξ: ξ altered from ζ.  
 17. One would expect Αχα[οι, but the traces do not suit ι. 19. λλωγα: only the tops visible. γ, perhaps σι; σ perhaps ζ or ξ. 25. Cf. Euripides, *Electra* 241 καὶ κῶτα πλόκαμόν τ' ἐσκυθισμένον ξυρῶ. 26. κ: other readings possible. 27. The apostrophe appears to be a later addition. After ντ remains of a curved letter like c.

ειποντι δ' ἐν γεν[οιτο]  
 15 ὅπως ἀνέ . . . . [  
 μητοὶ νεκροὶ ξ[

16. μητ doubtful.

### 79. UNKNOWN TRAGEDY.

Inv. No. 486 B. Third to second century B. C. Acquired in 1895. 12.5 cm. x 6 cm. Fragment from the foot of a column containing the beginnings of eighteen lines. Written along the fibres. Upright uncial hand. No punctuation preserved; the speakers are divided by a paragraphus with a slight curl. P. Petr. i. 3 (2), with plate; Nauck, *Tragicae Dictionis Index*, p. xxxi, fr. 615; Haeberlin 60. A more correct transcript is given below.

The speakers are Agamemnon and perhaps Talthybius. The mention of Kalchas and ἄπλοια at first suggests the theme of Iphigenia, but the reference to the Locrian leader in l. 17 perhaps points to the situation treated by Sophocles in *Αἴας Λοκρός* (cf. Pearson, *Fragments*, i, p. 8).

*Iphigenia* or *Ajax* (?).

[.] . [  
 ἀρῶ γυναικὰ [  
 παῖς ἦλθ' Ὑραία[  
 μᾶλλον δ' ἐπισ[.]ω[  
 5 ὁ δ' αὐτὸς ἦδη Τ[αλθύβιος?  
 πῶς ἐσ{σ}τάλημ[εν  
 Κάλχας ἐμαντ[  
 μαντεῖα συμ[  
 ἡμεῖν γενέσ[θ]αι προ[  
 10 καὐλεῖν ἐτοῖμος κα[  
 Ἀγάμεμνον οὐ γὰρ . [  
 κίνδυνος ἡμῖν οὐ σ[  
 ὅπως ἀπλοία{ι}ς ἦι κ[  
 λήξαντες εἰς γῆν [  
 15 ἄλλ' εἰσακούσει φη[μί?

2. Or ἀρ' ὦ γύναι κα[; ἀρῶ, from ἀείρω, αἶρω, or ἀράομαι? 3. Ὑραία[, if connected with Hyria near Aulis, would be decisive for the Iphigenia story. There was a hero called Hyraeus at Sparta. 4. ἐπίξω for ἐπείξω? 10. α might be λ.

μηνίματ' εἰ Δανα[οῖσι  
καὶ τὸν Λοκρῶν ἀρχ[ηγὸν ?  
[. . .]τα χρῆναι καμ[

18. τ, ρ possible. γ, μ or λ possible.

## 80. UNKNOWN TRAGEDY.

Inv. No. 688+1822. Early third century B.C. Acquired in 1896 and 1909. Nine fragments, the largest 5.5 cm. x 11.8 cm. Written along the fibres. Delicate archaic uncial hand. No punctuation. The paragraphus is used to distinguish the speakers. P. Grenf. ii. 1 + P. Hib. i. 4, with plates. Printed, with new combinations, as from the *Oeneus* of Euripides, by H. v. Arnim, *Suppl. Euripid.* p. 39 f. But see *Archiv* v, p. 570, where Kôrte points out that the direction χοροῦ μ[έλος] proves the play to be post-classical. Haeberlin 64; Oldfather 344.

*Meleager* (?). In the *Suppl. Euripid.* fr. (d) is rightly joined with fr. (a), l. 6, fr. (g) wrongly with fr. (a), l. 10. Another combination, not yet observed, is fr. (c) with fr. (d), which gives us:

ὅσον ταραγμ[δ]ν [τοῦτον ἢ δυ]σπραξία  
ψυχᾶσιν ἐμ[βέβληκε]{ν} τλημόνων βροτῶ[ν]  
ἐγὼ γὰρ [εἶδ]ο[ν] ἄρτι τὸν τεθυηκότα κτλ.

## 81. UNKNOWN TRAGEDY.

Inv. No. 591 A. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 12.8 cm. x 4 cm. Fragment containing the ends of twenty-one iambic lines and the beginnings of the same number. Only a few letters are preserved in each case. Opposite the fifth last line of the second column is the symbol Δ for 400. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand. P. Petr. ii. 49 (d), CC; Haeberlin 58; Oldfather 220. (But these last two refer only to Petr. ii. 49 (d), DX, which is from a separate MS., and is not in the British Museum.)

| Col. i.    | Col. ii. |
|------------|----------|
| · · ·      | · · ·    |
| ]ων        | σπε[     |
| ]ς θεους   | περ[     |
| ]ακως      | οσου [   |
| ]κε εμου   | · [      |
| 5 ] βροτων | τωι [    |

|    |            |          |
|----|------------|----------|
|    | ]αι        | ου μη [  |
|    | ] κακα     | εγε[     |
|    | ]νεται     | ου . [   |
|    | ]φρονα     | μ[       |
|    |            | σ[       |
| 10 | ]ορω       | ου[      |
|    | ]αι        | δρ[      |
|    | ]λους ανηρ | αυ[      |
|    | ] . σων    | π . [    |
|    | ]ς αγαν    | ου[      |
| 15 | ]ς τοσων   | πα[      |
|    | ]ωι кара   | σοφ[     |
|    | ]λον       | Δ πρ . [ |
|    | ]ενωι      | γω . [   |
|    | ]σωι       | . . [    |
| 20 | ]σων       | αλλ[     |
|    | ]ν         | κε[      |

## 82. UNKNOWN DRAMA.

Inv. No. 690 B. Third century B. C. Acquired in 1896. Two fragments, with parts of six and eight iambic lines, the larger 4 cm. × 3.8 cm. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized uncial hand. P. Grenf. ii. 6 (c), with plate; Haeberlin 68; Oldfather 225. If λι]μπάνει is correctly read, the play must be post-classical.

## 83. UNKNOWN DRAMA.

Inv. No. 691 A. Third century B. C. Acquired in 1896. 13 cm. × 3.4 cm. Fragment from the foot of a column containing the middle parts of twenty iambic lines. Written along the fibres. Rather thick uncial hand. P. Grenf. ii. 6 (b); Haeberlin 67; Oldfather 224. In l. 11 the name of Prometheus possibly occurs.

## 84. UNKNOWN DRAMA.

Inv. No. 1707. Second century. Acquired in 1906. 13 cm. × 5 cm. Fragment from the middle of a column, with remains of twenty-seven iambic verses. Written along the fibres. Small semi-cursive hand. The division between scenes after l. 20 and the use of the word τεκνία in l. 8 mark the play as post-classical.

- . . . . .  
 ]τ . . . [  
 ] μου τοιουτο[  
 ] τουτο προς . ε . [  
 ]ς εκ του σχημα[τος  
 5 ]σερωντ[.]σσ[  
 ]αινωσουπ[  
 ] . αγκαλην σ . [  
 καθ]ησο τεκνια  
 ] . . . . συν]γε[  
 10 ]εκαιπροσ[.]σθ[  
 ]νον . . . τε και τ . ινη[  
 ]ος . . [ . ]ης εν ειδοσι[  
 ]στ . . ε . δισηνεαν . . [  
 ]ν . οϊροσησ . . . μη[  
 15 ]εις αμεινον ου . οσ[  
 ] . ρσεις ταις θαλαττειαις [θεαις]  
 ] . ατ εγγυς υμνον [.]στ]ην [  
 ] προς μιμημα νηρη[.] . [  
 ] . ταυτην ες θεους ωπλ[  
 20 ] . . . . . ηιδ . . νεχ . . . . . νο . . [  
 — — — — —  
 ] . αλεσ[.]ν . εαπρ[  
 ] . χοργισε . . [  
 ] παι[.]ν . . . . [  
 ] . αϊς υβρισεν . [  
 25 ] . . . . . π . [  
 ] . . . . δι[  
 ] τ . . [  
 . . . . .

6. π or τυ.  
 Νηρευσ or Νηρηις.

8. μεμν]ησο Crönert.

13. γε: perhaps υθ.

18. Some form of

20. A division (a new scene?) occurs after this line.

85. ARISTOPHANES (?), *Second Thesmophoriazusae* (?).

Inv. No. 1180. First to second century. Acquired in 1903. Three fragments, the largest 21.9 cm. x 11.6 cm. Height of column 15.2 cm. Twenty lines to the column. One column fairly complete, with remains of at least two others. Written along the fibres. Large round upright uncial hand, remarkable for the use of the archaic form of Z (I). Double dots and paragraphi by the first hand mark change of speaker. High and middle points occur at the ends of lines, and pauses in the sense are indicated by points above the line. These, as well as accents, have been added later. P. Oxy. ii. 212. Attributed to Aristophanes by Grenfell and Hunt, who point out a possible coincidence of κα]τ' Ἀγδθω[va with fr. 599 (Kock), although Crönert in *Archiv* i, p. 512 f., holds that the words occupy a different position in the line. The same expression occurs in the *Second Thesmophoriazusae* of Aristophanes at the beginning of a verse (Kock, fr. 326). Fr. 969 in the Oxford Aristophanes; Demiańczuk, *Adespota Vet. Com.* no. 5; Oldfather 89.

86. ARISTOPHANES (?), *Gerytades* or *Second Thesmophoriazusae* (?).

Inv. No. 695 A. Late third century. Acquired in 1896. 11.1 cm. x 8.8 cm. Deep bottom margin, 6.4 cm. Beginnings of eight lines, seven iambic and one choral. Written along the fibres. Broad sloping uncial hand with cursive scholia. The choral line is indented by a space of three letters. P. Grenf. ii. 12, with plate. Attributed to the *Gerytades* of Aristophanes by O. Crusius in *Mélanges Weil*, pp. 81-90, and to the *Second Thesmophoriazusae* by Blass (*Lit. Centralbl.* 1897, p. 334). Demiańczuk, *Adespota Vet. Com.* no. 12; Oldfather 92.

87. ANTIPHANES, *Anthropogonia*.

Inv. No. 1525 (verso). Third century. Acquired in 1906. 9.9 cm. x 6.8 cm. Ends of three iambic lines with subscription. Written across the fibres. Square sloping uncial hand. P. Oxy. iii. 427; *Archiv* iii, p. 277; Demiańczuk, p. 212; Oldfather 58.

*Anthropogonia*, conclusion with subscription.

## 88. UNKNOWN COMEDY.

Inv. No. 484 D. Second century. Acquired in 1895. Narrow strip (13.3 cm. x 2 cm.) containing the first few letters of eighteen lines and occa-

sionally one or two letters of the preceding column. Written along the fibres. Large thick uncial hand. Breathings and circumflex accents occur. The paragraphi appear to be sometimes curved. The marginal indication of the speaker as well as the numerous paragraphi shows the piece to be a play. Several old women appear as characters in the *Ecclesiazusae* of Aristophanes; this play too is probably a comedy.

|    |    |    |        |
|----|----|----|--------|
|    | ]  | αν | [      |
|    |    |    | . [    |
|    |    |    | δ[     |
|    |    |    | δ . [  |
|    |    |    | το[    |
| 5  |    |    | ὀὐ[    |
|    |    |    | κατ[   |
|    | ]  | ν. | πω[    |
|    | γρ | αυ | π[     |
|    | β  |    | ξ[     |
| 10 |    |    | εν[    |
|    |    |    | οὐ . [ |
|    |    |    | θ[     |
|    |    |    | σ[     |
|    |    |    | ἀ[     |
| 15 |    |    | ξ[     |
|    |    |    | π . [  |
|    |    |    | τ[     |
|    |    |    | η[     |

MENANDER.

See Appendix, No. 253.

### 89. UNKNOWN COMEDY.

Inv. No. 1824. Circa 300–280 B.C. Acquired in 1909. Largest fragment 12.7 cm. × 28.8 cm. Nineteen fragments of which the largest contains parts of four columns. Height of column 10.5 cm. 21 to 23 lines to the column.

Written along the fibres. Medium-sized, rather heavy, uncial hand of a most archaic type. Alternations of the dialogue are marked by paragraphi and double dots. P. Hib. i. 6, with plate; *Archiv* vi, p. 228 f.; Demiańczuk, *Adespota Nov. Com.* no. 21; O. Schroeder, *Nov. Com. Fragg.* pp. 3 ff.; Oldfather 196.

#### 90. PHILEMON (?).

Inv. No. 487 A. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 12 cm. × 11.7 cm. Fragment containing the bottom of two columns; the ends of the lines preserved in the first column, the beginnings in the second. Written along the fibres. Handsome cursive hand. The paragraphus denotes different speakers. P. Petr. i. 4 (1), with plate. The lines of col. ii coincide with P. Hib. i. 5, fr. a, ll. 18–26 (see No. 91 below). Demiańczuk, *Adesp. Nov. Com.* no. 26; O. Schroeder, *Nov. Com. Fragg.* pp. 11 ff.; *Class. Rev.* xxxvi (1922), p. 166; Oldfather 858.

#### 91. PHILEMON (?).

Inv. No. 694 + 1823. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1896 and 1909. Largest fragment 10 cm. × 24.5 cm. Strips mostly from the top of a roll with parts of six columns at least. On the verso are explanations of Homeric words (No. 186). Written along the fibres. Good-sized cursive hand. P. Grenf. ii. 8 (b) + P. Hib. i. 5, with plate. P. Ryl. i. 16 (a) belongs to the same papyrus. For a different papyrus of the play see No. 90 above. Blass attributed the play to Philemon and regarded it as the source of Plautus's *Aulularia*, but Körte (*Archiv* vi, p. 227 f.) considers that the allusion to the office of nomarch (l. 81) points to an Egyptian authorship. Demiańczuk, *Adesp. Nov. Com.* no. 16; Schroeder, *Nov. Com. Fragg.* pp. 11 ff.; Oldfather 945.

#### 92. UNKNOWN COMEDY.

##### Plate VI.

Inv. No. 2294. Third to second century B.C. Acquired in 1921. 13.5 cm. × 14 cm. Portions of two columns from the upper part of a roll with remains of twenty-three lines, none complete. Written along the fibres. Rather thick uncial hand. Change of speaker indicated by paragraphus or, if in the middle of the line, by a colon. At l. 13, after the word *χορῖός*, a new act begins.

## Col. i.

## Col. ii.

]που [π]ανταχοῦ : ποῦ πανταχοῦ  
 ]χον ἐπιδίδωμί σοι  
 ] . θεν ἄχρι δευρὶ πάλιν  
 ] ἐλθὼν φράσαι  
 5 τὰ] γεγενημένα  
 ]ησω τυχόν  
 βι]βάζων τὰς ὁδούς  
 ] ἀπομύττων ἀνῶ  
 λο]ιδορούμενος  
 10 ]εἰ ζητητέος  
 ]ωι χαίρειν τόπος  
 χορ]ός  
 ]ων ἐγὼ  
 ]ίνεται  
 15 ] . τα σύ

ὦν ἡ τύχη σοι παρα[  
 ἐὰμ ποτ' οἶνον ἔτι τ[  
 ἀλλ' ὁμνύω σοι τοῦ[το  
 οὐκ οἶσθα πρὸς ὑδῶ[ρ  
 20 ἐξηθριασμένον [  
 λάβοιμι τήγ γυναικ[α  
 τῶν νῦν ἐπ[  
 δεξόμ[εθα  
 . . . . .

3. δευρί: read by Crönert. 16. Traces of paragraphus over ὦν? 20. ἐξηθρια-  
 σμένον: the earliest instance of ἐξαιθριάζειν = to keep cool.

## 93. UNKNOWN COMEDY.

Inv. No. 691 B. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1896. 7 cm. x 4.5 cm.  
 Scrap containing parts of fourteen iambic lines. Written along the fibres. Small,  
 slightly cursive, uncial hand.

. . . . .  
 ] . ευρ[  
 ]να[  
 ]α[ . . .]σεστη[  
 ο]ῦτος ὦ φίλον [  
 5 ]ν καλει ματ[  
 ] πρότερον δεδ[  
 ] . κα[.] ὥσπερ εἰσ . . . [  
 ]νον ἐπόθεις ἀεὶ

4. Σώφιλον Crönert. Perhaps the writer of the Middle Comedy? Cf. Damoxenus, l. 9.

]ν οὐτοσὶ Δαμόξε[νος]  
 10 ]νον ἐπόθεις ἀ[εῖ]  
    ]τον τούτω[ν  
    ] γίνοιτο μ[  
    ]ταποτ[ . [  
    ]τια[

9. Damoxenus: a famous cook of this name is alluded to in the Ἐγκαλυπτόμενος of Anaxippus (corr. ex Anthippus), a writer of the New Comedy (Athenaeus ix. 403 e). A poet of the New Comedy also bore that name.

#### 94. UNKNOWN COMEDY.

Inv. No. 740. First to second century. Acquired in 1900. 17.5 cm. x 18 cm. Height of column 11.5 cm. Fragment with remains of two columns, the first imperfect at the beginnings of lines, the second at the ends. Twenty-five lines to the column. Written along the fibres. Round, upright uncial hand. Accents, breathings, and elision marks occur occasionally. The divisions of the dialogue are marked by a colon. A single high point is used to mark a pause. All these signs seem to be by the original scribe. P. Oxy. i. 11. Wilamowitz in *Gött. Gel. Anz.* 1898, p. 694, considers the use of the word βωεῖν in l. 1 to be against Menandrean authorship. *Archiv* i, p. 113; Demiańczuk, *Adesp. Nov. Com.* no. 25; Schroeder, *Nov. Com. Fragg.* pp. 38 ff.; Oldfather 868.

#### 95. SOPHRON, *Mimes*.

Inv. No. 801. Late first or early second century. Acquired in 1900. 2.8 cm. x 12.5 cm. Written across the fibres. Round uncial hand. P. Oxy. ii. 301; *Archiv* i, p. 510; Oldfather 1085.

Label (σίλλυβος) inscribed Σώφρονος μῆμοι γυναικεῖοι.

#### 96. HERODAS, *Mimiambi*.

Inv. No. 135. First century. (Found, according to A. H. Sayce, *Reminiscences* (1923), pp. 332-334, in a tomb at Mêt of the fourteenth year of Augustus, but this is doubted by Hunt.) Acquired in 1889. Height of papyrus 12.4 cm. Length about 5 m. Height of column 8-8.5 cm. Forty-six columns more or less complete. Fifteen to nineteen (generally eighteen) lines to the column. Written along the fibres. Small clear uncial hand with a

few corrections and additions in a cursive hand apparently of the second century. Accents and marks of quantity are occasionally added in the first hand. Editio princeps (1891) by Kenyon in *Classical Texts*, with facsimile in separate volume (1892). Additional fragments published by Kenyon in *Archiv* i, pp. 379-387. Later English editors are W. G. Rutherford (1891), J. A. Nairn (1904), and W. Headlam (whose edition was finally brought out by A. D. Knox, 1922). This last work has been successful in placing all the fragments save three. The first German editor was Buecheler (1892), followed by R. Meister (*Abh. Kön. Sächs. Ges. d. Wiss.* xiii (1893), no. vii). Since then O. Crusius has produced a series of editions. Haeberlin 108 with copious bibliography up to 1897; Oldfather 374. Among recent editions may also be mentioned P. Groeneboom, *Les Mimiambes d'Hérodas*, i-vi, Groningen, 1922, while Nairn is engaged on a text for the Budé series and Knox for the Loeb series. For discussions of readings see too Groeneboom in *Mnemosyne*, N. S. xv (1922), pp. 50-61; Knox's *First Greek Anthologist* (1923), pp. 26-29; R. Herzog's publication of Crusius's notes on Mime viii in *Philologus*, lxxix (1924), pp. 370-433; Knox's notes on the same subject in *Cl. Rev.* xxxix (1925), pp. 13-15, and his interpretation in *Philologus*, lxxxi (1925), pp. 241-255; J. M. Edmonds's article in *Classical Quarterly*, xix (1925), pp. 129-146, with Knox's reply in *Philolog. Wochenschrift*, xlvi (1926), cols. 77, 78. Among recent contributions to the subject, points of interpretation are dealt with by A. E. Housman in *Cl. Rev.* xxxvi (1922), pp. 109-110; W. R. Halliday in *Cl. Rev.* xxxvii (1923), p. 115; H. J. Rose in *Cl. Quarterly*, xvii (1923), pp. 32-34; E. Kalinka in 'Aus der Werkstatt des Hörsaals' (*Sitzb. Wien. Ak.* vol. 197, Abh. 6, 1922).

### 97. PROSE FARCE.

Inv. No. 1984. Second century. Acquired in 1911. Two fragments, the larger (23.3 cm. x 9.3 cm.) containing a column of 28 lines complete in height but slightly imperfect on the right. Height of column 19 cm. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized informal uncial hand. The characters are distinguished by letters of the alphabet. On the verso is the cursive inscription in red ink,

ἐκ βιβλιοθή(κης) Πραξι(ου?)  
'Ηρακλείδης ἀ[πέγραψεν].

The α is doubtful but more probable than ε. Wilcken supplies [ἐξέγραψεν], which is the word used in the scribe's colophon of No. 11. Published with plate by A. Körte, *Archiv* vi, pp. 1-8. See also *Archiv* vii, p. 153; *New Chapters*, p. 123. Oldfather 885.

## 5. DIOSCORUS OF APHRODITOPOLIS

The following literary productions of Dioscorus, dating from the second half of the sixth century, were found with his other papers at Kôm-Ishgau, the ancient Aphroditopolis (later Aphrodito), and were acquired by the Museum in 1906. The non-literary documents belonging to the same lot have been published in P. Lond. v (1917), with an introductory notice of Dioscorus by H. I. Bell, while the large Cairo collection, both literary and non-literary, has been edited by Jean Maspero in three volumes, *Papyrus Grecs d'Époque Byzantine* (1911-1916). To Maspero also we are indebted for what is still the fullest account of our author, 'Un dernier poète grec d'Égypte: Dioscore fils d'Apollos', which appeared in *Revue des Études Grecques*, xxiv (1911), pp. 426-481. Thirteen poems from the Cairo collection are there published with translations. For convenience of reference we give the following concordances between the *Revue* and Maspero's Cairo Catalogue: *Rev.* 1-3, 11 = Cairo Masp. 67097 v., *Rev.* 4 = Cairo Masp. 67177, *Rev.* 5 = Cairo Masp. 67131 v., *Rev.* 6-10 = Cairo Masp. 67120 v., *Rev.* 12 = Cairo Masp. 67179, *Rev.* 13 = Cairo Masp. 67315 v. Other poems of Dioscorus are in *Berl. Kl. Texte*, v. 11 (2 and 3). Two of the following poems are partly translated by A. Calderini in 'Piccola Letteratura di Provincia nei Papiri' (*Aegyptus*, ii, pp. 149-154). A Greek-Coptic glossary by Dioscorus (No. 188), published by H. I. Bell and W. E. Crum in *Aegyptus*, vi (1925), pp. 177-226, gives a glimpse into Dioscorus's workshop. It would be difficult to find a more perfect example of a literary tradition in the last stage of decay, although allowance must no doubt be made for the fact that Dioscorus was a Copt and had no innate feeling for the Greek language. He seems to have been overjoyed at the mere achievement of a metrical line, and, whether from a desire to spare his harassed Muse or from sheer complacency, never hesitates to repeat his favourite effects. At no moment has he any real control of thought, diction, grammar, metre, or meaning.

98. *Encomia to Romanus.*

## Plate VII.

Inv. No. 1552 (P. Lond. v. 1817). 29.5 cm. x 39 cm. Column of hexameters complete, preceded by a column of iambs of which only the ends are preserved. Written along the fibres in ink of a brown tint. Papyrus stained dark brown down the middle, elsewhere light brown in colour. Folded from right to left. Carefully written in a fairly large and sloping uncial hand.

For similar braces of poems by Dioscorus, which seem to have been a literary fashion, see P. Cairo Masp. 67315 v., two poems to Callinicus, and *Berl. Kl. Texte*, v (xi. 3), two poems to Ioannes. An interesting example of the fourth century is *Berl. Kl. Texte*, v (ix), where the transition from one form to the other is expressly stated in ll. 31, 32:

[καὶ νῦ]ν ἰάμβων κωμικῶν πεπαυμένος  
[ἥρῳι' ἔπη τ]ὸ λοιπὸν εἰσκυκλήσομαι.

The second poem is in the form of an acrostic, a favourite device of Dioscorus. It is translated by Calderini, *op. cit.* p. 152. The name Romanus occurs several times in the Aphrodito papyri, which also mention a church of Romanus, but there is no strong ground for identifying the subject of these poems with any of the known persons so named. He was probably a praeses of the Thebaid (cf. e.g. ll. 11, 16-17 of i).

[Ἐγκώ]μια εἰς τὸν κύριον [Ῥ]ωμανόν>>3

Col. i.

]ι τοῖς λόγοις

] ᾧ δέσποτα

βά]σκανος

]ης πάνυ

]ον ἀκριβῆ

]την

το]ῖς λόγοις

]ς λέγει

]υνης

]νος φύσει

]ταων

[ἀεὶ βραβευτοῦ ἐκ τε τύχης καὶ] γένους

] . ων μέγας

λ]όγον

] τῷ ῥμῷ σκοπῷ

]ρους ποτε

[ἔγραψας ἡδέως δακτύλῳ δύο πλ]άκας

[καὶ σοῦ χαράξῃ τοὺς χρόνους δ]ιπλώματι.

3

2. MS. ᾧ. 6. την, written above the lacuna, evidently a correction. 14. MS. τω' μω' σκοπω. 15. ν, a corr.

3. Cf. *B. K. T.* v (ix, col. 1, l. 27), Cairo Masp. 67318, 23. 11. Restored from Cairo Masp. 67131 v. (A), 6. 16, 17. Restored from Cairo Masp. 67131 v. (A), 17, 18.

## Col. ii.

- P P ῥήτρης εὐρυνό[ι]ο διαμπερές ἔμπλεος ἦσθα  
 Ω ὦ βαθέης σοφίης πολυήρατον εὖχος ἐρώτων  
 M Μουσᾶων θεράπων καὶ Ἄρεος ἡδὲ χαρίτων  
 A ἄλλον Ὅμηρον ἴδον καὶ Ἄρεα ἡδέ τ' Ἐρωτα  
 5 N νυμφίον ἀγλαΐης πανομοῖον Ἑελίῳ.  
 N νοῦσον ἐμὴν [π]ρήννον ἐπεὶ φρένα οὐκέτ' αἰέρω  
 O ὄλβιον εἰσορόων πατέρων γόνον ὀλβιστήρων  
 Σ σῶφρονα δημοτελῆ πανυπείροχον ἐγγὺς ἀνάκτων.  
 Θ θάλλε μοι, εἰσέτι θάλλεις ἕως ὅτε κέδρον ἰκάνης.  
 10 A ἀντ' εὐεργεσίης τετανυμμένης πάντοθεν οἰκτρῶ  
 T ὕμμι θεὸς πανεπόπτης διπλόον ἐγγυαλίζῃ  
 M μακροπόρευτον ἔχειν ἄλυπον βίον ἐκτὸς ἀνίης  
 A ἄφθονον αὐτοτέλεστον ἐπ' αὐχένι δυσμενέεσσιν.  
 Σ σωροτέρην ἀτάνυσσον ἐμοὶ παλάμῃφιν ἑάων  
 15 T τὸν φίλα τέκνα σαώσонт' ἡδὲ τεκοῦσαν ἀρίστην  
 O ὅττι βίης ἐπίηρα παρ' ἐλπίδα πήματα πάσχω.  
 Σ σὸν κλέος ἀμφιβόητον ἐπὶ χρόνον ἄσπετον ἔλθοι.  
 J τολμήεις γενόμεν πότεν ἤλυθον εὐκλέα μορφῆς  
 ὕμνεῦσαι Ἄδονιν πεφιλημένον ἡδ' Ἱάκινθον.  
 20 ἀγλαΐην ἐνίκησας ἐρωτοτόκου μελεδῶνος.  
 J 15 J

2. MS. <sup>β</sup>ωζαθεης. 3. MS. Μουσᾶων, ἄρεος, χαρίτων. 4. MS. ἴδον, ἄρεα, ἡδετ' ἐρωτα.  
 5. MS. ἀγλαΐης πανομοῖον. 6. MS. οὐκ' ἐτ' αἰέρω. 7. First ο of γονον corr. from ε.  
 8. MS. πανυπείροχον. 9. MS. ἰκάνης. 10. MS. ἀντ' εὐεργεσίης. 11. MS. ὕμμι.  
 12. MS. ἀνίης. 14. MS. ἑάων. 15. MS. σαώσонт' ἡδε. 16. MS. οτ' τι. 18. MS.  
<sup>μορφῆς</sup>  
 εὐκλεανικῆς. 19. MS. ὕμνευσαι, ἡδ' ἰακινθῶ. 20. MS. ἀγλαΐην.

5. Perhaps ἀγλαΐη is meant rather than 'groom of Aglaia'. A recollection of Psalm xviii (xix) 6? 14. σωροτέρην: perhaps, as Maspero suggests, the comparative of σωρός, formed on analogy of ὀγκότερος; but cf. the glossary, l. 360 (*Aegyptus*, vi, p. 196), where it is glossed πας πᾶποτ ('big cup'). Professor Zucker suggests that it is for ζωρότερος, Dioscorus having misunderstood the use of the word in some such context as Agathias, *Anth. Pal.* v. 289, 3-4 θέλγεται οὐτ' ἐπὶ χρυσῷ | οὐτε ζωροτέρῳ μείζονι κισσυβίῳ. ἀτανύω is always the form used by Dioscorus; cf. χεῖραν ἐμοὶ ἀτάνυσσον in No. 100 E, 19. When the form χεῖρα τανύσσεις occurs as in Cairo Masp. 67120 (B), 18, we should probably divide χεῖρ' ἀτανύσσεις. 20. ἐρωτοτόκου μελεδῶνος: Calderini translates 'il cui amore genera pianto'. Cf. however Cairo Masp. 67316, 16 νυκταδὴ μελεδῶνι θεὸν κατ' ὄρεσφι λιγαίνει, and Hesychius: μεληδόνες—τηκεδόνες, ἐπιθυμίαι, φροντίδες, ὠδαί (see *Aegyptus*, vi, p. 179).

99. *Epithalamium for Mathaeus.*

Inv. No. 1733 (P. Lond. v. 1819). 22.5 cm. x 7 cm. Left side of hexameter lines, part of P. Cairo Masp. ii. 67181+67180. Written across the fibres. Small traces of several more lines on the verso along the fibres. Folded from the bottom upward. Uncial hand as in No. 98 but with a considerable cur-sive element. In P. Flor. iii. 297, 63 (from Aphrodito) a payment is made δ(ιὰ) Μαθ[αί]ου (a single θ is more probable than two), but there is no reason to identify that person with the subject of this poem, who may probably have been an official at Antinoopolis.

δ σήμερον ἐξ[α]πίνης φάος ἔπλετο δώμασι τοῦ[σδε]  
 ε ὅττι νέος Μ[α]θαῖος πολυφίλτατος ἔλλαχ[ε] νύμ[φην].  
 γ αἴσιος ἐκ γ[ενετῆρων] εὐπατέρειαν ἐφ[εῦρες].  
 β νύμφης | [λ]έκτρα [φέρεις] π[αναριζήλ]ης Ἀριάδ[ην].  
 5 α νύμφι σ[εῖο] γάμοι | χαρίτων πλήθουσι χ[ορ]ε[ίης],  
 νύμφι σεί[ο] γάμοι μαλακοτρεφῶν ῥοδοε[σσω]ν,  
 νύμφι σεί[ο] | γάμοι μελιιδέων ἐκ σταφυλ[αῶν].  
 σωφροσύνης | τὸν ἔρωτα γαμοστολῆς λ[ά]χες Ἥρης·  
 ὡς χρυσὸς χ[ρυσ]ῆς ἔτυχες, πα[ρ]α[ρ]είονες ἄμφω,  
 10 νύμφης ὁμ[α]κόντος ἐκ . . . . . μελίσσης.  
 νύμφι γάμ[ψον] ἔρωτι τεὸν νόον· οὐράνιος Ζεὺς  
 Εὐρώπης διὰ | κάλλος ἀκούεται εἰσέτι ταῦρο[s]  
 καὶ Λήδης δι' | ἔρωτας ἀκούεται εἰσέτι κύκνος.

1-4. Completed by Cairo Masp. 67181. 2. MS. <sup>πολυφίλτατος</sup> οὔτι, <sup>παραοιδιμος</sup> παναοιδιμος. 6. MS. <sup>μελίσσης</sup> ολεγκες.  
<sup>μαλακ</sup> απαλοτρεφῶν. 8. MS. <sup>σν</sup> σωφρονης. 9. MS. χρῦσος χρῦσης. 10. MS. <sup>μελίσσης</sup> ολεγκες.  
 11. 1. κάμψον.

1-5. The letters prefixed, as Hunt points out, give the true order of the lines. Cf. Cairo Masp. 67179, 1 which is identical with l. 5 above. 2. Μαθαῖος: the spelling with one θ was common in Egypt; see Preisigke, *Namenbuch*. 4. This line recurs in another epithalamium (to Callinicus), Cairo Masp. ii. 67179 r. (A), 3. 5-13. Translated by Calderini, *op. cit.* p. 152. 5. Also in the epithalamium to Callinicus referred to above (l. 1). 6. ῥοδοεσσῶν: Maspero reads ῥοδοε[ντων], but this leaves the adjectives without a noun to agree with. Probably χαρίτων is understood; this and l. 7 should follow l. 5, l. 4 coming next. 8. σωφροσύνης τὸν ἔρωτα = σώφρονα ἔρωτα. Ἥρης—of Hera or from Hera. γαμοστολῆς = γαμοστόλου? cf. χοροστολῆς in Cairo Masp. 67315, 1. 9. Cf. χρυσὸς χρυσόν] ἔμαρπτε in Cairo Masp. 67179, 7; also Cairo Masp. 67318, 24. 10. ὁμακόντος: Maspero says, 'Ce mot forgé est de lecture très douteuse'. It probably means 'young', 'virgin' 'from the sense of unripe'.

- Εὐρώπην σὺ φέρεις εἰς οἰκίον οὐκ ἐπὶ πό[ντον],  
 15 Λήδης λ[έκτ]ρα φέρεις ἀλλ' οὐ π[τ]ερ[ύ]γεσσι κομ[ί]ζει[s].  
 νύμφε μὴ . τ[ ] . . . . . τεξ . . ονν . . καὶ γὰρ Ἀπόλλω[ν]  
 ἡδυβόλων πολὺνμος ἐδέξατο κέντρον ἐρώ[των].  
 Δάφνης γὰρ δι' ἔρωτας αἰὲ Δαφναῖος Ἀπόλλω[ν].  
 Δάφνην καὶ σὺ φέρεις ἀλλ' οὐ φεύγουσαν ἀκοίτην.  
 20 μυρία Φοῖβ[ος] ἔτευξε καὶ οὐκ ἐτύχησεν ἐρώτων.  
 οὐ μετὰ δὴν | ποθέων πολυφίλτατον ὄψαι νῆα  
 ἡδέα παπ[π]άζοντα τεοῖς ἐπὶ γούνασιν ὄντα  
 εἰκόνα σὴν ποθέοντα καὶ ἰμείροντα τεκούσης.  
 οὐ γλυκὺς | ἡμερος ἄλλος ἐπάξιος ἀμφ' ὑμέ[ναιον].

19. Inserted later. 20. MS. ερωτῶ. 21. MS. νῆα (Maspero). From the photograph νῆον appears possible.

15. οἶ: Maspero has ] . . . ν, but the context makes οὐ probable, and the slight trace visible in the facsimile is consistent with ν. 19. Cf. *Rev.* 12, 14 = Cairo Masp. 67179. 21. Cf. Cairo Masp. 67318, 18. 22-23. A combination of these two lines occurs in Cairo Masp. 67179 r. margin.

#### 100. MISCELLANEOUS POEMS.

Inv. No. 1728 verso + 1745 verso (P. Lond. v. 1818). On the recto is a Coptic award (in the hand of Dioscorus) in an arbitration, probably written between A.D. 566 and 570 (see P. Lond. 1709, introd.). 49 cm. + 100 cm. x 30.5 cm. The papyrus is much rubbed and stained and (in 1745) very fragmentary. Written along the fibres. Both hands of Dioscorus, uncial and cursive, are employed.

##### A. *On Calandus.*

Inv. No. 1728 verso. These two compositions, the first in prose, the second in iambic verse, are very obscure, the difficulty of the first being increased by uncertainties of reading. The second (l. 5) suggests a Roman martyr (for another address to a saint see P. Cairo Masp. 67024 v.: εἰς τὸν ἅγιον Σηνᾶν ἰσόψηφα ἐγκώμια), but no such martyr appears to be known. Various martyrs of the names of Calendinus and Calendion are enumerated by Stadler and Heim, *Heiligen-Lexicon*, i, p. 539 f., but none of them seems very appropriate. The context suggests some benefactor to the city of Rome (l. 3 appears to mean 'disdaining that the city of Rome should perish'), and despite the words μαρτύριον ἡμᾶρ it may be doubted whether a Christian martyr is intended at all.

Tzetzes, *Hist. Var. Chil.* iii. 869–878, gives a cock-and-bull story apparently invented to explain the terms Kalends, Nones, and Ides:

Ἐὼ Κάλανδον, Νόννον τε, καὶ τὸν Εἰδὸν σὺν τούτῳ,  
 ὧνπερ τὸ εὐεργέτημα ἡμέραις παρεγράφη.  
 ἐν χρόνοις Ἀντωνίνου (A superscr. Ἀδριανοῦ) γὰρ Ῥωμαίων ἡττηθέντων  
 καὶ συγκλεισθέντων ἐν αὐτῇ τῇ γεραιτέρᾳ Ῥώμῃ,  
 κινδυνεύοντων τε λιμῶ πάντων διαφθαρήναι,  
 οὔτοι τὸν δῆμον οἴκοθεν ἔτρεφον τὸν τῆς Ῥώμης,  
 ἡμέρας ὀκτωκαίδεκα Κάλανδος κατὰ μῆνα,  
 Νόννος ἡμέρας δὲ ὀκτώ, τὰς τέσσαρας Εἰδὸς δέ.  
 Ἡσύχιος Ἰλλοῦστριος, Πλούταρχος τε καὶ Δίων,  
 καὶ Διονύσιος ὁμοῦ γράφουσι ταῦτα πάντα.

Ἀντωνίνου is probably a corruption. No such story appears to occur in the extant works of Plutarch (who in the *Roman Questions*, § 24, gives a quite different explanation), Dion (Cassius?), or Dionysius (of Halicarnassus), but probably some legend of the kind is at the bottom of Dioscorus's poem. In l. 3 of (i) πῦρα ἀείμνηστον is probably metaphorical.

- (i) ♀ οὐ βραβίον ἔπαθλον ἀντ[ι] τῶν π . . νεα . π[ . ω]ν δεχόμεν[ο]ς  
 κ[α]λῶν Κάλανδος καθέστηκεν ἀπολαμβάνειν ἀλλὰ τὸ  
 πλήθος θεραπεύων πῦρα ἀείμνηστόν τε ἑαυτοῦ τετιμη-  
 μένον πλέον τανύσας ὅλων σῶμα καὶ ἑαυτὸν παραδέδωκεν . . ισ  
 . . . ατα

5 νίκην φέρειν σκεψάμενο[s] μᾶλλον ἄγετον μόνον  
 ἀπὸ ἀνανκαίων ὑπο . . . . στ . . . . αν φύτλην  
 Ῥωμαίων διαμπερὲς εὐφήμεισε. +

- (ii) Κάλανδος ἐξ ὀλίγου παθὼν νίκην φέρειν,  
 ἀεὶ βοωμένην ἀγήρατον τύχην,  
 ὑπερφρονῶν Ῥωμαίαν ἐκθανεῖν πόλιν,  
 ὅπως πάσης ταύτης τὸ σωτήριον ἔσται  
 5 μαρτύριον ἡμαρ ἀντὶ τῆς [α]ὐλῆς λαβών. ♀

(i) 4. This line is a later insertion. The three words at the beginning are added in the left margin. Over the latter part of the line is written something, perhaps crossed out, which seems to begin εταυσι[ε]. 7. Ῥωμαίων: second ω apparently a corr. l. ηὐφήμεισε.

B. *Bounteous Vintage.*

+ ἀδρὰ νέων θαλάμων ατεν . βρίθο{θο}υσιν ἀλωαί  
 τῶν ἀπαλοτρεφέντων ἐξ ὀμφακίων σταφυλάων  
 περσιδίων πρέουσιν ἀπὸ γλυκέων σταφ[υλά]ων.

1. ατεν .: this looks like ατενι; ἀτενές (as an adverb) and ἀτενῖς (= ἀτενείς) are alike impossible, but perhaps Dioscorus was feeling after an adverbial form of ἀτενής, the sense being 'are burdened to breaking point'. Possibly ἀτενί(ς) should be read. 3. περσιδίων: peaches?

C. *Epithalamium for Paul and Patricia.*

For a similar acrostic epithalamium see P. Cairo Masp. 67318. The Patricia of this poem is probably to be identified with the ἐνδοξοτάτη Πατρικία, pagarch of Antaeopolis along with Julianus, who occurs in P. Lond. 1660, 7. The fact that she rather than her husband is addressed suggests that the poem may have been written during her tenure of the office. In view of this P. Lond. 1660 is probably to be dated 'circa A.D. 566' rather than, as in the edition, 553. Wilcken, *Archiv* vi, p. 446, prefers to take πατρικία as a title rather than a name, but the present poem shows that this hypothesis is to be rejected. It is not possible to identify Paul; he is unlikely, on grounds of date, to be the *Fl. Paulus Scholasticus* [*et*] *defen(sor) Antaeopol(is)* of P. Cairo Masp. 67329, ii, 15 (A. D. 529-530), but may have been his son or (more likely) grandson.

+ Ἐπιθαλάμιον. +

Ἐ ρμείας προφέριστος ἐπ' ἀγλαΐησιν ἐρίζων  
 Ἴ στατο Τριτογένεια σέ[θε]ν μνημηΐα μέλψαι.  
 Σ ὄν μέλος ἀμφεβόησε καὶ ὤμοσε καρτερόν ὄρκον  
 Π αντοίης μεθέπεις ὅτ' ἀμετρήτων ἀρετῶν  
 5 Ἀ τρεκέως Φαέθοντος ἐράσσατο τίκτε σε μήτηρ.  
 Τ σὺνομά σευ καλέω παναοίδιμον Ἀφρογενείην  
 Ρ ηῖδῖως Παφίης πολυή[ρατ]ος ἔπλεο κάλλει

1. MS. ἀγλαΐησιν <sup>ἐρίζων</sup> ἀρίστος. 2. MS. μνημηΐα. 4. MS. στ'. 7. MS. ρηῖδῖως.

1. Ἐρμείας: introduced because of his erotic associations. Perhaps, however, it was the initial letter which decided Dioscorus. 2. Τριτογένεια: as a virgin goddess and patroness of industrious housewives cf. Theocritus xxviii, 1. 3-5. Complete collapse of grammar. The idea appears to be that since Patricia is such a paragon, her existence can only be explained by supposing that her real father is Phaethon.

- 'Ι σταμένης σὺν Ἑρωτὶ [τεῆν] Πόθος ἤλασε μορφήν.  
 Κ ἄλλινον εὐπατέρεια τέδν γενετῆρα μελάθροις,  
 10 'Ι μερόεντα πόσιν πολυφ[ίλ]τατον ἔλπεο Παῦλον,  
 'Α ντίθεον χαρίεντα πανίκελα Βελλεροφόντη,  
 Ν υμφίον ἱμερόεντα κεχ . . . . . καις,  
 Ν υμφίον ἱμερόεντα ποδῶν ἄπο μέχρι κομάων.  
 Ν υμφίε σείο γάμον γεραρώτερον ὕμνοπολεύω  
 15 'Τ μνοπόλων χαρίτων νοαρωτέραν ἔχραο νύμφη[ν].  
 Μ ἢ τρομέεις λεχέων τέρεν' ἄντυγα σεμνονομεύειν.  
 Φ ρουρὲ βίου σῶτερ μ[εγά]ρων, σκηπτου . . . . .  
 [Ἑ] δέα Πατρικίης γάμον εὔνοον ἔκδοτε Παύλῳ  
 Ν ούσον ἄτερ βιότοιο διαμπερὲς .] δε . θ . [ . ]ων  
 20 Π ατρικίης ἐρατῆς ὁμοῦ Παύλου [  
 'Α ρμονίης ἀλύτοιο δίδου σφίσιν εὐ . αν . . . . ην  
 'Τ ιέας υἱονοὺς γούνασιν σφοῖν ἀειρομένοισι  
 'Α αμπετόντα βίον παναο[ίδι]μον εἰρήναισιν  
 'Ο ν χρόνον . . . [  
 25 'Τ π . [

8. MS. ἴσταμένης, μορφῇ. 10. MS. ἱμεροεντα. 11. MS. πανίκελα: 1. πανείκελα.  
 12. Inserted later between ll. 11 and 14. 13. Written in the left margin. MS. κομάων.  
 15. MS. ὕμνοπολων. 19-23. Ends of the lines much faded, so that in some cases all  
 trace of ink has disappeared. 19. 1. νούσων. 22. MS. ὑιέας ὑιονοὺς: 1. υἱωνοὺς.  
 25. MS. ὕπ . [

8. I.e., Pothos *forged* her shape in his smithy. The omission of a conjunction is  
 no objection to the reading. 9. Sc. οὔσα = well-fathered in respect of Callinus.  
 11. πανίκελα Βελλεροφόντη: this phrase recurs in Cairo Masp. 67055 v., 20. 12, 13. No  
 doubt alternative lines, as often in the drafts of Dioscorus. 15. νοαρωτέραν: Dioscorus  
 seems to have had νοερός in mind, but the sense 'beautiful' would suit the context  
 better. 16. μὴ τρομέεις: Dioscorus is given to the use of the indicative where he intends  
 the imperative; cf. Cairo Masp. 67097 v. (B), 17 (cf. No. 98, ii. 9 above). μὴ τρομέεις  
 recurs Cairo Masp. 67183 v., 7. 17. Not apparently σκηπτοῦχε which one would  
 expect; cf. Cairo Masp. 67183 v., 7. No doubt Zeus is invoked. σκηπτου may be  
 genitive of σκηπτός. The letter following looks like μ. 22. σφοῖν is just possible. The  
 scansion, however, is erratic. Apparently γούνασιν was scanned ὠ ὠ -, and σφοῖν is short.

#### D. Epithalamium for Athanasius.

Inv. No. 1755 verso. Athanasius is the Duke of the Thebaid celebrated in  
 P. Cairo Masp. 67097 v. (B) and (C), to whom many of Dioscorus's petitions  
 were addressed (Cairo Masp. 67002 ff.); cf. P. Lond. 1674, introd.

. . . . .]ηλον [  
 [. . . . .]ο . [. . . . .]ων σθεναρω[.] . . . [.]Ἀθανάσιον.  
 [σε]ῖ[ο] γενεθλιάδος ῥοδοειδεῖς ἔσ[τε]ψαν Ὠραι  
 ἀμφὶς ἐκυκλώσαντο χοριττίδες ἐννέα Μούσαι  
 5 καὶ χαρίτων χόρος αὐτε μελισταγέων σταφυλάων.  
 ὥς νέον ἄλλον ἴδον Διονύσιον ἀτρεκέως γὰρ  
 ἀπρίξ ἐν δεπάεσσιν ἐπ' ἀλλήλοισιν ἰδόντες  
 οἶνον, ἔρωτος ἄγαλμα, πολυτρεφεῖ Ποσιδῶνι  
 χερσὶν ἀειρόμενόν σεο, νυμφίε, [. . . . .] . . υρε  
 10 ναὶ τάχα νῦν καλέω σε φυρο[.] . . . . .]καρων  
 Νεῖλον λ. . . . . ον θ[.] . . . . .]

4. MS. χοριττίδες. 6. MS. ἴδον. 7. MS. ἴδοντες. 8. MS. πολυτρεφεῖ.  
 11. λ, κ possible.

3. Restored from Cairo Masp. 67178, 3. 4. χορίτιδες is the usual form. 5. Grammatically σταφυλάων might be in apposition to χαρίτων. But Dioscorus doubtless regarded it as a genitive of quality on the analogy of abstract words, or he may have been thinking of some such construction as No. 99, 7. 6. Dionysus is meant, a favourite compliment; see Cairo Masp. 67318, 12; *B. K. T.* v (xi. 3, 44). 8. ἔρωτος ἄγαλμα: repeated in Cairo Masp. 67179, 10, also of wine. 10. φ and ο doubtful; σε seems required after καλέω as in Cairo Masp. 67055, 21. 11. Cf. the references given in the note to l. 6 for the use of Dionysus and the Nile in paying compliments. In Cairo Masp. 67131 v. (B), 3, a man's ἀσπίς is called νειλάγωγος.

### E. Acrostic to Phoebammon.

[Φοιβάμμωνι τῷ ἐπαρχίας ἐπικειμένωι.]

Perhaps the person addressed is the — Serenus Phoebammon, praeses of the Thebaid, of P. Lond. 1663, in which case the thirteenth indiction of that document is A.D. 564–565. It would be possible to restore τῆς before ἐπαρχίας and leave a gap between ll. 13 and 14, but this is less likely. Παγαρχίας is, of course, a possible alternative, but no pagarch of this name occurs in the Aphrodito papyri.

[Φ φ . . . . .] δεδαπ[  
 [Ο οὐ] πέλεν οὐ πέλεν ἄλλος [όμοῦ]ος ὕμ[μι] γενέθλη.  
 [Ι] ἱλλαθί μοι τρομέοντι τεὸν κλέος ὄφρα [λιγαίνω].

3. MS. ἱλλαθι.

2. A favourite line of Dioscorus; cf. Cairo Masp. 67315 v., 6, and elsewhere.  
 3. λιγαίνω restored from Cairo Masp. 67055 v., 14. βοήσω might be restored from Cairo Masp. 67179 r. (A), 25.

- B βαθμὸν ἔχεις πολύφημον ἐνὶ ῥ{ρ}οθίοισι με[  
 5 βίβλους ἀριστοπόνων καμάτων μεθέπει[  
 A ἀρμονίης ἀλύτσιο φέρεις πλ[  
 M μαχλοσύνην ἀπειπ[  
 M μ[. . . . .] ἐκ ποταμῶ[ν  
 Ω ὠκέος  
 10 N νωδυν[  
 I ἱμερόεις [  
 T τιμησο[  
 [Ω] ων . [ . . . ] ἐπρονοήτην [  
 [I] ι . . . . . ] κθεο[  
 15 [E] ε . . . ] . . [ . . . . . ] γεν]ετηρ αρι[. ]ει . [  
 [Π] π . . . ] ἐνκλεές ἔργον ἐθήκατο  
 [A] ἀκτεάνων θρεπτήρ πέλεν αιν . [  
 P ῥήσων ἀρτεμέα προκόμισσο[ν  
 X χεῖραν ἐμοὶ ἀτάνυσσον ἐπεὶ φ[ρένα οὐκέτ' αἶρω].  
 20 I ἱλαός ἴσθι φέριστε μὴ λήθεο πα[  
 ἱλαρὸν ἀμφαγαπάξῃ πᾶς . [  
 A ἀστεμφῇ μενέαινον ἐνισ[  
 [Σ] σ[  
 [E] ε . . . . . ] . . ασθ . . [  
 25 [Π] π . . . . . ] ἀφράστοιο πολυ . . χυ . . η [ . . . ] . . . . [  
 [I] ι . . . . . ] ἀθανάτοιο θεοῦ καὶ στέμματα νίκ[η]ς  
 [K] κυδαλῖμων πατέρων ἀπὸ ῥί[ζ]ης ὀλβιστήρων  
 [E] Εὐστοχίῳ γενετῆρος ἀτὰρ Κυρίλλου τε Κομῆ[του]  
 [I] ι . . . . . ] ηστ . μαροσθενευεωρ[ . . . ] ητιν . . . [  
 30 [M] μ . . . . . ] σπεφ[ . . . . . ] ε . [  
 11. MS. ἱμεροεις. 17. MS. α]κτεᾶνων. 20. MS. ἱλαος ἴσθι. 21. MS. ἱλαρον,  
 πᾶς. 29. MS. <sup>επηλεονευκ</sup>ευεωρ[.

4, 5. Either alternative lines or the name is spelled with double β. 4. The double ρ of ρροθίοισι perhaps inserted for metrical purposes. 6. For ἀρμονίης ἀλύτσιο cf. C, 21. 13. It is tempting to restore from Cairo Masp. 67097 v. (B), 11 ὦν βασιλεῖς τρομέουσι τὰ μῆδεα πυκνὰ σοφίης. 17. ἀκτεάνων: cf. Cairo Masp. 67120 v. (B), 17 ἀκτεάνους ἀτίταλλε. 19. χεῖραν: a vulgarism. ἀτανύω is D.'s regular form; cf. note on 98, ii. 14. The end of the line is restored from No. 98. 20, 21. Apparently alternative lines. 27. A stock line of D.'s; cf. Cairo Masp. 67120 v. (B), 8, and elsewhere. 28. Restored from Cairo Masp. 67097 v. (B), 10.

[E ε . . . . .] . ηγ . . . . .[. . . . .]ισ . εκθε[  
 [N ν . . . . .] χραίσμησον εμ[.] . [.] . μωνας [  
 [Ω ω . . . . . οὐ]ρανίων ἐπιαλτο . . . . . νιδογ . ιν . μ . . ι μακρῶ  
 [I ι . . . . .]δαν οὐκ ὄμμα κατω[.] . νων ἐπιτυχεῖν.

F. *Encomium on the notary John.*

Ἰωάννης νομικός occurs in P. Lond. 1673, which is conjecturally, though not certainly, from Aphrodito, but the name is too common for identification. The text, particularly G (cf. ξένος ὑμέτερος), suggests that John was a notary of Antinoopolis who had shown Dioscorus hospitality on his arrival.

Εἰς Ἰωάννην τὸν νομικ(ὸν) ἐγκώμιον.

ⲡ ἐγὼ μὲν ἐν λόγοις τιμᾶν ἐβου[λ]όμην  
 τὸν αὐτάδελφον εὐμενῇ φιλόξενον,  
 τὸν ἀμίμητον ἐκ θεοῦ ὀνομαστικ[όν].  
 φιλεῖς τὸ θεῖον καὶ φιλεῖς τὸν πλησίον,  
 5 μᾶλλον σεαυτοῦ τοὺς ξ[ενοὺς] ποιοῦμενος,  
 ἀνθ' ὧν ἀγαθῶν εὖ πρ[.] . . . . .]ισου  
 τοῦ προσφιλεστάτου σ[.] . . . . . π]οθων  
 ὃ δ' ἐκ . . [.] . .]θεοῦ δοτῇ[ρος .] . . {  
 ἀντεισαγωγήν σοι ἀπείρα[τον] φέρει.  
 10 ἐγὼ γὰρ ἀντίποινα σ[ῆ]ς προθυμί[α]ς  
 οὐκ ἂν δυναίμην ἐνδεῆς ὧν ἐκτίσειν,  
 τρέφων δὲ μᾶλλον καὶ νέους ἀνηβίους  
 οὐ παύσομαι σ[έ]θεν ἀεὶ μεμνημένος  
 τοῦ δεσπ[ό]του . .]οσελ[.] .]πλη[.] . .]ου φίλου  
 15 εὐχαῖς α[.] . . . . .] . ετων  
 ἐμ[.] .] . . .]ομαιπω[.] . . . . [  
 μ[.] .]ονασε πάντων γραμμ[ά]των καὶ χρη[μ]άτ[ων]  
 τὸν εὐφύεστατον προσκυνητὸν δεσπότην.

Heading. MS. ἰωαννην. 2. MS. αὐτ'αδελφον. 6. ρ, ε equally probable. 9.  
 MS. ἀντ'εισαγωγήν. 11. MS. ουκ' αν. 15. MS. ετων. 16. φ, perhaps α.

3. Ἰωάννης means 'Yah hath been gracious'; cf. G, 1. 4, 5. Cf. Cairo Masp.  
 67131 v. (A), 14, 15, which is to be corrected accordingly. 12. δάμαρταν, δ' ἐμαντὸν  
 both impossible readings. ἀνηβίους: apparently for ἀνήβους but influenced by βίος.  
 17. Perhaps μέμονά σε with the strained meaning of 'I wish thee joy of'.

G. *Another encomium on John.*

+ τῷ τὰς τιμὰς λαχόντι καὶ ὑπερβαίνοντι[ι...].δε[...].λομω[  
 Ἰωάννη ὁ ἑλεεινὸς καὶ ξένος ὑμέτερος] προ[  
 ϐ ὦ παντάξιε τῆς σῆς προσηγορίας τῷ ὄντι φιλάρετε  
 φιλόξενε φιλόπτωχε φιλο[λ]αότεχνε: τί σοι εἶπω ἀξιεῖται  
 σκρίβα τῶν κουβικουλία ἐγκω[μίων] μεμεστωμένων εἰς σέ  
 . . . . [ ]εν τοῖς πάσχουσι  
 5 πλέον εἶ[  
 εὐεργέτημά σου· πάντων ὑποχέρ . . . . τοῖς μὲν εὐπ . . .  
 δεόντως αὐτεψυχαγωγῶεις ἐπιστέλλεις δὲ δῶρα  
 προσήκοντα τρόφιμα τῆς τούτων συμπαθείας: εἴη' οὖν  
 τοῖνυν θεόθεν ἄλυπος ἄφθονος πολυ[χρονικός] . . . .

Heading. MS. ὑμέτερ/. 1. MS. ὦ παντ' ἀξιε, τῷ. 2. MS. ἀξιε<sup>νε</sup>παι. 3. 1. κου  
 βικουλίων. 6. MS. σου. εὐπ: εὐη or εὐισ possible. 7. MS. αὐτ' εὐψυχαγωγῶεις. 9  
 MS. ἄλυπος.

9. πολυχρονικός from Cairo Masp. 67120 (F), 37, or πολυχρόνιος from Cairo Masp.  
 67315, 57. It is possible, however, to read παντ . . .

H. *Encomium for Julian.*

This is doubtless Julian the pagarch, for whom see e.g. P. Cairo Masp.  
 67024, 31; P. Lond. 1661, 5.

+ ἐγκώμιον εἰς τα . [ . . . . ] Ἰουλι[ανοῦ . .]ου υἱοῦ τοῦ πανευφ[ή]μ[ου]  
 ] . . +

. [ . ] . . . . [ . ]εν Ἰου[λ]ιανὸς [ ] εὐρύν  
 ]σμων  
 ]ρετηρι  
 ]σφοναν[ε]

Heading. MS. ἰουλιανου, υἱου.

101. *Encomium.*

Inv. No. 1737 A verso (P. Lond. v. 1820). On the recto a marriage (?) contract dated at Antinoopolis in the reign of Justin. 21.3 cm. x 10 cm. Beginnings of four hexameter lines with a supplementary one added below. Written along the fibres. Uncial hand with cursive intermixture.

.. [

ἄστρεα κυρίζ[ων διελήλυθες οὐ κατὰ κόσμον].

οὕτως αἰεὶ ζώο[ις καὶ ἀμοίρατον ἐς χρόνον ἔλθοις],

ἀμφιέπων τ[

5 + εἰρήνην μεθέπ[εις σοφίης θέμιτος παναρωγήν].

2. Supplied from Cairo Masp. 67055 v., 23.  
other places.

4. τ, only top stroke visible.

67179 v., 2, where εἰρήνην is doubtless to be read.

3. Supplied from *ibid.* 12 and many

5. Supplied from Cairo Masp.

## B. PROSE

### I. HISTORICAL

#### 102. HERODOTUS, Book I.

Inv. No. 741. Third century. Acquired in 1900. 18.4 cm. x 8.7 cm. Lower part of a column with deep margin (7 cm.) at bottom. Written along the fibres. Good-sized round formal uncial hand. The paragraphus is used, and the high point once. P. Oxy. i. 18; *Archiv* i, p. 114; Oldfather 363.

Bk. I. 105-106.

#### 103. HERODOTUS, Book V.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34473, art. 5. Third or fourth century. Acquired in 1893. 2 cm. x 11.5 cm. Scrap from a two-columned vellum leaf containing a few lines of each column. Narrow columns 4 cm. wide of 12-15 letters. Small uncial hand. Punctuation by paragraphus and space in lines.

Bk. V. 77-79.

|       |                                                                                                                                                  |       |                                                                                                                                 |
|-------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 77. 1 | <p>σι τ<sup>ο</sup>υς βο<sup>η</sup>θ<sup>ο</sup>υς ε<br/> δοξε προτερον τοι<br/> σι Βοιωτοισι η τοι<br/> σι Χαλκιδευσι επι<br/> 5 χειρειν [</p> | 77. 3 | <p>νοι [τας δε] πεδας αυ<br/> των [εν τ]ηισι εδεδε<br/> απο ανεκρεμασαν<br/> ες την ακροπολι<br/> . . . . .</p>                 |
| 78    | <p>10 Αθηναιο[ι μ]εν νυ<br/> ηυξη[ν]το δη]λοι<br/> δε ου καθ εν μου<br/> ρον αλλα παντα<br/> . . . . .</p>                                       | 79. 1 | <p>15 λυφ[ημον δε ε]ξ[ε]<br/> νεικαντας εκε<br/> λευε των αγχιστα<br/> δεεσθαι απελθον<br/> [των ων] των θεο<br/> . . . . .</p> |

No variation from Hude's text.

## 104. HERODOTUS, Book V.

Inv. No. 1109 A. First or second century. Acquired in 1901. 6.5 cm. x 11 cm. Remains of the lower part of three columns. Breadth of middle column 6 cm. Originally about thirty-six lines to the column. Written along the fibres. Small uncial hand. The paragraphus is used, and an angular sign for filling up the line. Published in Viljoen, *Herodoti Fragmenta* (Groningen, 1915), pp. 43, 44. Oldfather 369.

Bk. V. 78-82.

## Col. i.

79 ταυτ]α)  
[οτι κατεχομενοι μεν ε]θε  
[λοκακεον ως δεσποτη] ερ  
[γαζομενοι ελευθερωθε]ν  
5 [των δε αυτος εκαστος ε]ων  
[τωι ]·

## Col. ii.

80 μαντηϊον Ασωπ[ου λε]  
γονται [γ]ενεσθαι θ[υγατε]  
ρε[ς Θ]ηβη τε και Αι[γινα του]  
10 τεων αδε[λφε]ων ε[ουσεων]  
δοκεω ημιν Αιγινητε  
ων δεεσθ[αι το]ν θεον χρη  
σαι τιμωρητη[ρ]ων γενε  
[ου]  
σθαι και γαρ τις ταυτης α)  
15 μεινων γνωμη εδοκεε

## Col. iii.

82 [ Αιγινη]  
τεων [εγενετο εξ αρχης]  
τοιησ[δε Επιδαυριοισι]  
η γη κ[αρπον ουδενα ανεδι]  
20 δου π[ερι ταυτης ουν της]  
συμφ[ορης]

14. ου inserted above; the τ of τις corr. from ο, perhaps ου was originally written after γαρ. Otherwise the text shows no variant from Hude.

## 105. THUCYDIDES, Book II.

Inv. No. 784. Middle or late first century. Acquired in 1900. 13 cm. x 5.4 cm. Parts of two columns. Margin at top 3.2 cm. Written along the fibres. Good-sized, handsome, but not very formal, uncial hand. P. Oxy. ii. 225, with plate. The text is good and is nearest to C where the MSS. differ. *Archiv* i, p. 519; Oldfather 1106. For the Thucydides papyri see Widmann, *Bursians Jahresbericht*, clxxviii (1919), pp. 228-235.

Bk. II. 90-91.

## 106. THUCYDIDES, Book II.

Inv. No. 2471. Fourth century. Acquired in 1922. Leaf of a vellum codex, 14.3 cm. x 11.4 cm. Column (9.7 cm. x 9 cm.) of twenty-one lines. Twenty to twenty-five letters in a line. Illegible traces of pagination are visible on both sides. Calligraphic uncial hand of the same type as the Codex Sinaiticus. Two omissions have been supplied in cursive not later than the fourth century. Stops occur in the high, middle, and low positions, but are partly due to the corrector. A stroke for punctuation (recto, l. 2) and occasional diaereses and elision marks are due to the original scribe, a breathing to the corrector. Iota adscript was generally written. P. Oxy. xiii. 1621, with plate. The text has several interesting novelties; it supports C against B five times, B against C twice. Oldfather 1101.

Bk. II (Speeches, the end of the speech of Archidamus and the beginning of the Funeral Oration of Pericles).

## 107. THUCYDIDES, Book VII.

Inv. No. 2445. Second to third century. Acquired in 1922. Height 31.8 cm. Twenty columns, nearly all much damaged, are preserved, excluding a number of small and unplaced scraps. Width of column 6 cm. with an average of about nineteen letters to the line. The columns are tall, ranging from 47 to 53 lines, and are divided into three sections by gaps of six columns. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized sloping uncial hand of oval type. Punctuation by high stops, marginal paragraphi, and sometimes by short blank spaces. No breathings or accents, and diaereses are scarce. The line-filling sign is sparingly used and final *v* is occasionally represented by a horizontal stroke. A few alterations have been made by the scribe, and corrections have been inserted by two

different hands. P. Oxy. xi. 1376, with plate. The text is good and supports B in a marked way. Oldfather 1115.

Bk. VII. 54—68. 2 (cols. i—xiii), 72. 1—73. 3 (cols. xx, xxi), 78. 5—82. 3 (cols. xxviii—xxx).  
xxviii—xxx).

#### 108. ARISTOTLE, *Constitution of Athens*.

Inv. No. 131 (verso). Circa A.D. 100. (On the recto are accounts of an estate near Hermopolis in the tenth and eleventh years of Vespasian, A.D. 78 and 79.) Acquired in 1889. Four rolls, the first three 28 cm. x 220, 166.5, and 91.5 cm.; the fourth (very broken) 25 cm. x 91.5 cm. Width of columns 14–16 cm., once 21 cm. and once 28 cm., for the first hand; 9.5 cm. for the second hand, 11.5–16 cm. for the third hand, 11 cm. for the fourth hand. Written across the fibres. Four hands are employed, the first (cols. 1–12) being a small cursive hand with many abbreviations, the second (cols. 13–19 and half of col. 20) a plain medium-sized uncial with many misspellings and mistakes, the third (the rest of col. 20, cols. 21–24, and 31–36) at times an unformed uncial, at times a careless cursive, the fourth (cols. 25–30) a small hand resembling the first with several differences in formation and in the use of abbreviations. Corrections by the first hand within the parts due to it and by the fourth hand for the whole book. Editio princeps by Kenyon (1891) with facsimile of the whole in a separate atlas. Edited again (1893) with additional fragments by Kenyon for the *Supplementum Aristotelicum* of the Berlin Academy and finally (1920) for the Oxford Texts. Edition with elaborate commentary and *Index Graecitatis* by J. E. Sandys (Macmillan, 1893; 2nd edition, with full bibliography, 1912). The latest Teubner edition is that of Blass revised by Thalheim (1909) with copious bibliography, pp. x–xv. Recently edited by G. Mathieu and B. Haussoullier in the Budé series (Paris, 1922). Haebler 100, 101; Oldfather 98.

#### 109. EPHORUS, Book XII (or XI).

Inv. No. 2470 (verso). Second to third century. Acquired in 1922. Fifty-eight fragments (largest 15.2 cm. x 9.1 cm.). Columns 5 cm. broad, the lines containing from twelve to seventeen letters, most usually fourteen or fifteen. Written along the fibres. Handsome upright uncial hand approximating towards the biblical type. The paragraphus is used and the high stop; pauses are sometimes indicated by blank spaces. P. Oxy. xiii. 1610, with plate. Latest publications (1922) in Bilabel, *Die kleineren Historikerfragmente auf Papyrus* (Kl. Texte,

no. 149), pp. 7 ff., and F. Jacoby, *Fragmente Griech. Historiker*, pt. 2 (1926), A, pp. 96, 97. *Archiv* vii, p. 229 f.; Oldfather 245.

### 110. *Hellenica Oxyrhynchia*.

Inv. No. 1843. Second to third century. Acquired in 1909. Height of papyrus 21.2 cm. Remains of at least twenty-one columns. Dimensions of column 16.7 cm. x 9 cm. Thirty-seven to forty-five lines to the column in the first hand (col. v wholly in the second hand has sixty lines). Written across the fibres on the verso of a land-survey register. The first hand is a small neat uncial of the oval sloping type. N at the end of a line is generally indicated by a horizontal stroke above the final letter, and a few of the conventional abbreviations occur at the ends of lines, κ' for και in ix. 25, xiv. 13, xx. 20 and 25, μ' for μεν in xviii. 24 and 25. A peculiar characteristic is a tendency to combine the letters M and H or H and N so that the last vertical stroke of the first letter serves also as the first of the second, e.g. μηνων in xvi. 2. New sections are marked by coronis or paragraphus, a small blank space being left where the transition occurs in the middle of a line. There are no stops, only two accents and a couple of breathings. Diaereses are sometimes placed over ι and υ. The second hand, which wrote v. 1—vi. 27 with frs. 3 and perhaps 16, is smaller and rougher, employs high points freely and, unlike the first hand, adds ι adscript. P. Oxy. v. 842, with plates. Edited by Grenfell and Hunt with fragments of Theopompus and Cratippus in *Hellenica Oxyrhynchia* (Oxford, 1909) and by J. H. Lipsius in *Kleine Texte*, no. 138 (1916). On the question of authorship see E. M. Walker, *The Hellenica Oxyrhynchia* (1913), who decides in favour of Ephorus, and J. H. Lipsius in 'Der Historiker von Oxyrhynchus' (*Verh. d. Kön. Sächs. Ges. d. Wiss.*, Phil.-hist. Kl., 67, 1 (1915), pp. 1–26), reiterated in *Berl. Phil. Woch.* xxxix (1919), 958–960, who clings to his advocacy of Cratippus; cf. too Körte in *Archiv* vii, p. 230. In *Gött. Nachr.* 1924, pp. 13–18, F. Jacoby declares for Daimachus of Plataea to whom the text is assigned with a query in *Fr. Gr. Hist.*, pt. 2, A, pp. 17–35. *Archiv* vi, p. 242 f.; Oldfather 422.

### III. EPHORUS (?), *History of Sicyon*.

Inv. No. 2444. Third century. Acquired in 1922. 29.5 cm. x 11 cm. Two nearly complete columns of thirty-five lines. Column 16.5 cm. x 5.5 cm. Written along the fibres. Fine upright uncial hand. Most of the letters are broad, but ο is small and ε and σ narrow. Paragraphi and high and middle points are used.

A breathing and two accents perhaps inserted by a corrector. P. Oxy. xi. 1365 with plate. Ephorus and Aristotle are there suggested as possible authors. The case for the former is strengthened by the discovery of No. 109 above; cf. Körte in *Archiv* vii, p. 230 f. Menaechmus is favoured by M. Lénchantin De Gubernatis in *Boll. Fil. Class.* xxv (1918-1919), pp. 127-130. Latest publications in Bilabel, *op. cit.* pp. 4 ff., and Jacoby, *Fr. Gr. Hist.* pt. 2, A, p. 504 f. Oldfather 425.

## 112. ARISTOTLE (?), Νόμιμα Βαρβαρικά.

Inv. No. 489. Third century B. C. Acquired in 1895. Six fragments, two of which join together. Largest 21 cm. x 8 cm. No column and only two lines complete. Written along the fibres. Rather large uncial hand. No stops; chief divisions marked off by paragraphus with coronis, others by paragraphus alone. P. Petr. i. 9, with plate. Frs. 4-6 first published by Blass, who combined frs. 2 and 4, in *Jahrb. für class. Philol.* cxlv (1892), p. 580. Parallels from Aelian and Strabo are pointed out in the notes. H. Diels claims Aristotle for author on the strength of a quotation in Nicolaus Damascenus (see *Sitzb. Berl. Ak.* 1891, p. 837). Haeberlin 112; Oldfather 403.

Fr. 1.

Frs. 2 + 4.

|                                              |          |                              |
|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------|
| ἀλλ' ἄλφιστα [                               | ]αντες   | πέμ[πον]τες· ἐὰν δ[ὲ] μη-    |
| ἡγούμενο[ι                                   | ]τριψαν  | θὲν ζῶιον ἄπτητα[ι κό-]      |
| ραι καὶ μὴ τῇ τῶ[ν                           | ] ἄρτους | πτοντα[ι] καὶ θρηνοῦ[σιν ὡς] |
| τιμηι διαίτηι χρ[ώμενοι].                    | ]ον πει- | θεομίσητον γεγεννη[μέ-]      |
| 5 <sup>2</sup> (Καυσιανοῖς δὲ νόμ[ιμον τοὺς] | ]ταφαγοι | νον· Σαρακόροι δὲ θεὸν [τὸν] |
| γινομένους θρην[εῖν τοὺς]                    | ]τινας   | * Ἀρη νομίζουσιν μόν[ον·]    |
| δὲ τελευτῶντα[ς εὐδαιμο-]                    | ]ιδε     | ἄ[γ]ουσι δ' αὐτῶι ὄνον τ[ὸν] |
| νύ[ξ]ειν ὡς πολλῶ[ν κακῶν]                   | ]περτα-  | κάλλιστον καὶ μεγα[λο-]      |
| ἀναπεπαυμέν[ους· ῥάιδι-]                     | ]γενων   | φανεστάτον ὡς τούτῳ[ι χαί-]  |

Fr. 1. 6. Cf. Herodotus v. 4 on the Thracian Trausi. perhaps too short.

7. εὐφη[μ]ί[ξ]ειν would be

Frs. 2 + 4. 5. Cf. Aelian, *Hist. Anim.* xii. 34: Σαρακόροι δὲ οὔτε ἀχθοφόρους οὔτε ἀλοῦντας ἔχουσι τοὺς ὄνους ἀλλὰ πολεμιστὰς . . . ὅστις δὲ ἄρα τῶν παρ' αὐτοῖς ὄνων ὀγκωδέστερος εἶναι δοκεῖ τοῦτον τῷ \* Ἀρει προσάγουσιν ἱερόν. Also Strabo xv. 727 of the Karmanians: ὄνον τε θύουσι τῷ \* Ἀρει ὄνπερ σέβονται θεῶν μόνον . . . γαμεί δ' οὐδείς πρὶν ἂν πολεμίον κεφαλὴν ἀποτεμὼν ἀνενέγκῃ ἐπὶ τὸν βασιλέα· ὁ δὲ τὸ κρανίον μὲν ἐπὶ τῶν βασιλείων ἀνατίθησι, τὴν δὲ γλῶτταν λεπτοτομήσας [καὶ] καταμίξας ἀλεύρω γευσάμενος αὐτὸς δίδωσι τῷ ἀνενέγκαντι καὶ τοῖς οἰκείοις κατασιτήσασθαι· ἐνδοξότατος δ' ἐστὶν ὃ πλείωται κεφαλαὶ ἀνιήχθησαν. 6. μ of monon corr. from ο. 9. χαί[ρον]τα: apparently accusative under the influence of νομίζουσιν in l. 6, or (as Hunt suggests) acc. abs. to avoid conglomeration of datives.

|    |                               |             |                               |
|----|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| 10 | οι δ' εἰσὶ πρὸς τὸν π[όλεμον] | ]ατακλει    | ροντα τὸν θεόν· γα[μεῖ]       |
|    | διὰ τὴν ἐτοιμότ[ητα τὴν]      | φ]θείρουσιν | δὲ οὐ π[ρ]ότερον οὔτε [ὁ ἀνὴρ |
|    | πρὸς τὸν θάνατο[ν. Καρμα-?]   | ]μμολῖς     | οὔτε ἡ γ[υ]νὴ [               |
| 2  | νίοις δὲ νόμιμον τ[ὰς μὲν]    | ]φειν δυ-   | τερον παμ[                    |
| 2  | γυναικας π[                   | ]ρωνται     | κεφαλὴν [                     |
| 15 | τοι δὲ ληιστ[                 | ]ντες       | πρὸς τοῦς                     |
|    | οἱ ἄνδρες ἀ[                  | ]ασεις ἐρη- | τοι μαχη[                     |
|    | θωσιν λουο[                   | ]ασιν οὐ    | ἀπεκτ[ειν                     |
|    | γυναικε[ς] η[                 | ] . .       | [.]τινῇ . [                   |
|    | χεῖρας ἐπ[                    |             | [.] . . ν . ε[                |
| 20 | τας αἰσχ[ύ]στον ἐστὶν ὁρά[    |             | [.]νῃ βω[                     |
| 2  | σθαι γυμν[ούς                 |             | [.]ψα[                        |
| 5  | ἐπιμελον[                     |             | ] . ω[                        |
|    | τὰς κεφα[λὰς                  |             |                               |
|    | ὑπερεχον[                     |             |                               |

Fr. 1. 12. [Καρμα]νίοις, if rightly restored, suggests alphabetical arrangement. 20, 21. Suppl. by Crönert. 23. Opposite this line is ]ν, part of a preceding column (see Fr. 5, 10, note).

Frs. 2 + 4. 18. τ, perhaps π.

Fr. 5.

Fr. 6.

|     |                           |        |  |           |  |
|-----|---------------------------|--------|--|-----------|--|
|     | αυτηρ[                    | κεφα-] |  |           |  |
|     | λὴν ἀν[                   |        |  | ]ν[       |  |
|     | τὰ βασίλ[εια              |        |  | ]εν[      |  |
|     | σαν καὶ [                 |        |  | ] οὔτε [  |  |
| 5   | λεπτά [                   |        |  | ] . α . [ |  |
|     | τοῖς ἀνα[                 |        |  |           |  |
| ]νι | φαγεῖν τῶ[ι ἀναφέροντι ?] |        |  |           |  |
|     | καὶ τοῖς ἐκείν[ου         |        |  |           |  |
|     | ἀπογενεσαμ[εν             |        |  |           |  |
| 10  | οἷονται γὰρ τ[ὴν συν-]    |        |  |           |  |
| ]ε  | ωμοσίαν [ . ]βυ[          |        |  |           |  |
|     | §                         |        |  |           |  |

Fr. 5 apparently continues frs. 2 + 4. 10. If the ν which appears near the foot of fr. 1, col. i, is the ν of συν it results that fr. 1 follows fr. 5. 11. There is no trace of ink between ωμοσίαν and βυ but the surface is damaged. Perhaps a new people begins with βυ, in which case supply τ[οῦτο in the line above instead of τ[ὴν.

## Fr. 3.

. . . . .  
 . . . . .]αιο[  
 . . . .]τυχουσιν ὁ μὴ κα[τέ-]  
 θηκαν οὐδ' εἰς παμπλ[η-]  
 θές χρυσίον καὶ ἀργύριον οὐ-  
 5 δ' ὁλως ἄπτεσθαι τῶν ἄλλο-  
 τρίων οὐθένος· ἄσπον[δοι?]  
 . . . . .

## 113. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1183. Third century. Acquired in 1903. Six fragments (largest 13.6 cm. x 9 cm.). Remains of three columns. Width of column 6.2 cm. Written along the fibres. Small, rather delicate, sloping uncial hand. No punctuation or other marks save the angular sign to fill up the line. At the end of the line final *v* is indicated by a stroke over the vowel. P. Oxy. ii. 218. Among the authorities quoted are Zopyrus, Cleitarchus, Archelaus, and Zenodotus. The author avoids hiatus. *Archiv* i, p. 529 f.; Oldfather 434. Cf. also Haussoullier in *Rev. de Philologie*, xxiv (1900), pp. 65-67.

*Paradoxa*, a work on strange customs.

## 114. EPHORUS (?), Κρητῶν Πολιτεία (?).

Inv. No. 187 (recto). Second century. (On the verso is No. 144.) Acquired in 1891. Two fragments with remains of two columns. Larger fragment 11.7 cm. x 11.2 cm. Width of column 6.5 cm. About sixteen letters to the line. Written along the fibres. Large round elegant uncial hand. Punctuation by leaving a space of one letter. A paragraphus seems to occur at l. 28. Fr. 2 belongs to the upper part of fr. 1, col. ii. Published by Kenyon in *Rev. de Philologie*, xxi (1897), pp. 1-4, with note by Haussoullier, pp. 8 ff. Assigned by Crönert to Ephorus who is known to have compared Crete and Sparta (see *Fr. Hist. Graec.* i. 249 ff. and Wilamowitz, *Aristoteles und Athen*, ii. 26, note 2). Sparta is excluded here by the specification ὁ Λάκων in l. 19. Haeblerlin 72; Oldfather 417.

Fr. 1.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

Fr. 2.

17 (?) lines, much defaced. Only a few letters are visible, viz.:

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p>]. [</p> <p>]τρουσυ</p> <p>ια[.....]ι γεγο-</p> <p>νοτ[.....]ποιμι</p> <p>5 αγα[.....].ν [ή] φύ-</p> <p>σις χ[λαν]ίδα λαβόν-</p> <p>τες καὶ δι{ε} φθέραν καὶ</p> <p>καλβατείνας εἰς δύ"</p> <p>ἔτη{ι} διαμένουσιν</p> <p>10 ὑδροποτοῦντες καὶ</p> <p>νιφόμενοι καὶ σκά-</p> <p>πτοντες καὶ ἀναγκο-</p> <p>φαγο(ῦ)ντες ἱατρῶν</p> <p>οὔτε{ι} δια(ί)της νόμους</p> <p>15 ἐκδεχόμενοι ἀλλὰ</p> <p>ζῶντες ἀνέθιστοι]</p> <p>μαλακίαις καὶ ἡδυ-</p> <p>παθείαις. Ἡγησίλαος</p> <p>δὲ ὁ Λάκων κατεπλή-</p> <p>20 ττετο . . . .</p> | <p>.</p> <p>κ[</p> <p>μα[</p> <p>τακ[</p> <p>[</p> <p>25 τοπ[</p> <p>το . [</p> <p>ευτ[</p> <p>μ[</p> <p>με[</p> <p>30 Λυκ[οῦργος ?</p> <p>καί . [</p> <p>ον κα[</p> <p>ακα[</p> <p>κα . [</p> <p>.</p> | <p>35 .] . [</p> <p>. α</p> <p>εν</p> <p>νο</p> <p>. δ . . . .δερ[</p> <p>40 . γ . . . .πο . [</p> <p>οῦ[</p> <p>.</p> |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|

2. τ, only top stroke, might be γ. σν, very slight remains. 3. Second ι, perhaps last stroke of ν. 6. χ, a mere spot. Cr. suggests [ἀπλο]ίδα. δ[ιπλο]ίδα seems nearer the traces. 8. 1. καρβατίνας. 25. π, perhaps γ.

## 115. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1778 (verso). First century. (On the recto a small portion of an account.) Acquired in 1907. 9 cm. x 10.4 cm. Parts of seven lines from the foot of a column. Written across the fibres. Medium-sized semi-cursive hand of

Ptolemaic type. Krateros is mentioned in l. 5, doubtless the famous general of Alexander.

*History of Alexander* (?).

. . . . .

]αν[  
 ] . ς ἐπίβουλον τοῦ βασιλέω[ς  
 ] . ντα μὴ φεύγησθε μηδ[  
 ? δ] ἐπερὶ τὸν Κρατερὸν εἰάν γε[  
 5                   ] ὄμιλον ἰσακούσωμεν β[  
 ] . . ροις ἔχεσθαι νευσάντων [  
 ] . . . . οι περιστάντες η τονεοσ[  
 3. φεύγησθε: an almost unexampled form.                   5. 1. εἰσακούσωμεν.

# 116. UNKNOWN.

Inv.No. 1847 B. Fourth century. Acquired in 1878 along with Pap. 113, papyri from the Fayum. Two vellum fragments 10 cm. x 3.5 cm. and 6 cm. x 7 cm. Lines and column boundaries deeply ruled. Column only 3.7 cm. wide. Ten to fourteen letters in a line. Round, rather small, uncial hand. Minute angular sign at the end of ll. 46, 47, 48, 55. Readings on the verso (rough side) are very uncertain.

| Fr. 1.  |             | Fr. 2.                 |                     |
|---------|-------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Recto.  | Verso.      | Recto.                 | Verso.              |
| τ[      |             |                        | .. [                |
| . [     | ] . .       | ] αλ                   | 50 . ε[             |
| φ[      | ] .         | λ[ . . . . . ] . ρος   | .. [                |
| ν[      | ] κα        | ι[ . . τ] οὺς μὲν ἐξή- | ρατην κ . . . [     |
| 5 ν[    | 25 ] ε .    | 45 λασεν τοὺς δὲ ἀ-    | σεσωκότες . . . . ε |
| ν[      | ] .         | πέκτεινεν αὐ-          | φημειν ει γε προν   |
| ο[      | ] δι        | τῶν τήν δὲ πό-         | 55 ως ησαν ὑπ' αὐ-  |
| η[      | ] . . .     | λιν Θραξίν καὶ         | τῶν φερηνηκας       |
| αν[     | ] . . .     |                        |                     |
| 10 λες[ | 30 ] . οτης |                        |                     |
| ρασκ[   | ] δειν      |                        |                     |
| υμο[    | ] ε . . . . |                        |                     |
| συντ[   | ] εσ . . .  |                        |                     |

|    |                    |    |            |
|----|--------------------|----|------------|
|    | πολε. [            |    | ] . ουτω   |
| 15 | ξισου. [           | 35 | ]κειμεν    |
|    | ηγον α[            |    | ] . νοτιρο |
|    | θυσιων [τον στρα-] |    | ]μ . νερι  |
|    | τηγον [            |    | ]σαθυγ     |
|    | ειστοσ[            |    | ]ντερ[.] . |
| 20 | .....ον[           | 40 | ].. [      |
|    | [.....]... [       |    | ].. [      |

117. *Acta Alexandrinorum.*

Inv. No. 2436 (verso). Early third century. Acquired in 1922. 15.8 cm. x 53.9 cm. Parts of four consecutive columns, the tops missing. The width of col. varies from 8.5 cm. to 12.5 cm. Lower margin 2.5 cm. Written across the fibres on the back of second-century documents. Upright semi-cursive hand. A high stop is occasionally employed, *v* at the end of the line is sometimes written as a horizontal stroke above the last vowel. A comma-like mark is inserted between *γ* and *χ* of *τυγχάνοντες*. P. Oxy. x. 1242. See also 'Eine Gerichtshandlung vor Kaiser Traian' by W. Weber in *Hermes*, l (1915), pp. 47-92. The scene is at Rome and cannot be later than A. D. 113, when Trajan left for the East. The chief speaker is Hermaiscus. but Paulus and Theon, whose names occur in P. Par. 68 + No. 118 (below), were also members of the embassy. *Archiv* vii, p. 236. For productions of this class see Premierstein's work referred to below (No. 119) and H. I. Bell, 'Juden und Griechen im römischen Alexandria' (*Beihefte zum 'Alten Orient'*, Heft 9); for No. 117 A. Neppi Modona, 'Protocolli giudiziari o romanzo storico?' (*Racc. di scritti in onore di G. Lumbroso*, 1925), pp. 420-422. Col. ii, l. 25, l. τὴν ἡμέραν τε.

*Alexandrines and Jews before Trajan (Acta Hermaisci).*

118. *Acta Alexandrinorum.*

Inv. No. 1. Early second century. Acquired in 1821 from the Salt collection. 11 cm. x 5.5 cm. Scrap written on both sides, belonging to the same roll as P. Par. 68. Medium-sized cursive hand. No. 43 in Forshall's *Greek Papyri in the British Museum* (1839). Republished in P. Lond. i, p. 229 (plate no. 146 in the Atlas). The chief subsequent editions are by Wilcken, 'Zum alexandrinischen Antisemitismus' in *Abhandl. der sächs. Ges. d. Wiss.*, Phil.-hist. Kl. xxvii. 23

(1909), and by A. v. Premenstein, 'Alexandrinische und Jüdische Gesandte vor Kaiser Hadrian' (*Hermes*, lvii, 1922, pp. 216-316). The dramatic date is fixed in the prefecture of Q. Rammius Martialis, i.e. at least before 18 Feb. 121 A.D. (see Premenstein, p. 313). See too Neppi Modona, *op. cit.* pp. 422-428.

*Alexandrins and Jews before Hadrian (Acta Pauli et Antonini).*

|    | Recto.                                   | Verso.              |
|----|------------------------------------------|---------------------|
|    | ] Καῖσαρ· " Καὶ οὐ[δέ]                   | ]ν . . . . .        |
|    | [μοι φαίνεται ἐξ] ὧν Θέων ἀνέγν[ω]       | ]ρεις τῶν           |
|    | [ὑπομνηματι]σμὸν Λούπου ἐν[τέλ-]         | 'Ράμ]μιε θήσον-     |
|    | [λοντος ἀποδοῦναι?] τὰ ὅπλα καὶ ἀνα . [  | [ται ]ντο δυσὶ      |
| 5  | ]ρ ποίας ἔσχεν ἀφο[ρ-]                   | χ]οραγῶι            |
|    | [μὰς ] . ἀπαιτεῖν ὑμᾶς                   | ]ς ὑποφε-           |
|    | [? τὰ ὅπλα . . . . . ] . ερχατε θέλετε   | ε]ύε[ι]ν καὶ χειρο- |
|    | ]νομένους στρατι-                        | ῆ]μέρας θ           |
|    | [ώτας ἐν οἷς πραι]τωριανοὺς καὶ η . [    | πε]μφθε[ι]ς ὑπὸ     |
| 10 | ἐρ]ωτήσωι, ὃ τινες                       | ἐ]ναντίας νει-      |
|    | ] περὶ τοῦ ἀπὸ σκηνῆς                    | ]ου Καίσαρος        |
|    | [καὶ ἐκ μίμου βασιλέω]ς ἀ[[πε]]κριβέστε- | ἀ]νθρώποις          |
|    | [ρον ] καὶ Κλαυδιανοῦ                    | ] πολλὰκις καὶ      |
|    | ]ε[.] . [.]ντω                           | ἐ]μφέρονται         |
| 15 | ] . . ε[                                 | ]αις καθ' ἡμῶν      |
|    | . . . . .                                | ἀγα]νακτεῖν         |
|    | . . . . .                                | ]νω[                |

Recto. 3. 1. ὑπομνηματισμῶν. *εν* is probably not deleted (as Pr.) but corrected from ω. 4. The faint trace after *ανα* does not suggest ζ (Pr.). 5. *ὁποίας* is improbable, as the first letter suggests rather ρ. 6. Hardly τοῦ] (Pr.), as the trace at the beginning suggests ρ; or possibly τ]ϑ. 7. Reading certain. 9. The trace after η does not favour β (Pr.).

Verso. 3. Not μι θησον (Pr.). Suppl. by Crönert who points out that a letter of Hadrian's to the Prefect is being quoted. 6. The apparent ι after σ in the facsimile (Pr. ]σι) is illusory. 13. σ of πολλὰκις corr. from ν.

119. *Acta Alexandrinorum.*

Inv. No. 2435 (verso). End of second century. (On the recto abstracts of contracts mentioning dates as late as 169-170 and probably 185.) Acquired in 1921. 15 cm. x 44.5 cm. Five nearly complete columns of fifteen lines (the last

of fourteen). Columns 11 cm. x 8 cm. Written across the fibres. Neat semi-uncial hand. P. Oxy. i. 33. Printed also in Wilcken's 'Zum alexandrinischen Antisemitismus' and *Chrestomathie*, no. 20. See also Premerstein, *Zu den sogenannten Alexandrinischen Märtyrerakten* (*Philologus*, Suppl.-Band xvi), pp. 28-45, and Neppi Modona, *op. cit.* pp. 428-430.

*Trial of Appianus before Commodus (Acta Appiani).*

#### 120. LIVY, *Epitome*.

Inv. No. 1532 (recto). Third to fourth century. (On the verso is the Epistle to the Hebrews, No. 218.) Acquired in 1906. Height 26.3 cm. Part of eight columns of twenty-seven to twenty-eight lines in *Latin*. Lines of irregular length, sometimes as much as 17 cm. The lines which mention the consuls for the year project by about three letters into the left margin. The first three columns cover Bks. XXXVII-XL and the years 190-179 B.C., the last five columns cover Bks. XLVIII-LV and the years 150-137 B.C., with loss of a column after col. vi which covered Bk. LIII and the years 143, 142 B.C. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized upright uncial with some admixture of minuscule forms (b, d, r). No stops. Abbreviations are commonly employed in praenomina and official titles, other abbreviations are rare. The scribe did not understand Latin and mistakes are frequent. P. Oxy. iv. 668, with plate. See 'Die neue Livius-Epitome' by F. Kornemann in *Klio* (2. Beiheft, 1904); also the discussion by Rossbach, Kornemann, and Fuhr in *Berl. Phil. Woch.* xxiv (1904), cols. 1020, 1182, 1309, 1508. *New Pal. Soc.* i. 53; *Archiv* iii, p. 501.

New Epitome of Livy, XXXVII-XL, XLVIII-LV.

#### 121. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 745. Third century. Acquired in 1900. 8.6 cm. x 5 cm. Fragment from the top of a vellum leaf from a *Latin* codex, containing on the recto the ends of ten lines, and on the verso, which is much rubbed and faded, parts of ten more. Rustic capital hand with small admixture of uncial forms, e.g. in the letters D and Q and the tendency to roundness in E. The words are separated by epigraphic dots, and accents or apices (possibly by a second hand) are placed upon long vowels. Words are not divided at the ends of lines, which are therefore irregular in length. P. Oxy. i. 30, with plate. Attributed by Diels to Ennius, but see *Archiv* i, p. 119 f.

Historical fragment on the Macedonian wars of Rome.

## 122. SATYRUS.

Inv. No. 2070. Second century. Acquired in 1914. Largest fragment 14.2 cm. x 75.5 cm. Columns (none complete) are extremely narrow, about 3 cm., and closely set together. Written along the fibres. Small upright informal uncial hand, with tendency to cursive forms, e.g. in  $\epsilon$  and  $\omega$ . The common angular sign is often added at the end of short lines, while in longer ones the final letter is sometimes interlineated. Stops in three positions (low rarely) are used besides paragraphi, and there are two or three accents and a doubtful rough breathing, all by the original scribe. P. Oxy. ix. 1176, with plate; *Archiv* vi, pp. 247-252; Oldfather 1055. See too a dissertation on the text by H. Frey, *Der Blos Euripίδου des Satyros und seine literaturgeschichtliche Bedeutung* (Diss. Zürich).

Colophon:

Σατύρου  
βίων ἀναγ(ρ)αφής  
ς'  
Αἰσχύλου  
Σοφοκλέους  
Εὐριπίδου

Βίων ἀναγραφή, Bk. VI (life of Euripides).

## 123. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1523. Fifth century. Acquired in 1906. 21.6 cm. x 18 cm. Leaf from vellum codex written in double columns of 30 lines. Column 15 cm. x 5.8 cm. Medium-sized calligraphic uncial hand. No lectional marks.  $\nu$  at the end of a line generally represented by a horizontal stroke. P. Oxy. iii. 411; *Archiv* iii, p. 282 f.; Oldfather 117.

*Life of Alcibiades.*

124. PHLEGON (?), *Olympian Victors*.

Inv. No. 1185 (verso). Third century. Acquired in 1903. 18 cm. x 9.5 cm. Parts of two columns written on the back of a money account. Forty-four lines of the first column and thirty-four of the second one are preserved. No line is complete. Written across the fibres. Small semi-cursive hand. P. Oxy. ii. 222.

See C. Robert's article in *Hermes*, xxxv (1900), pp. 141-195. *Archiv* i, p. 531 f.; Oldfather 433.

List of Olympian victors, 480-468 B.C., 456-448 B.C.

## 2. RHETORICAL

### 125. DEMOSTHENES, *In Aristogitonem*, I.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34473, art. 2. Fifth century. Acquired in 1893. Vellum leaf with fragment of attached leaf. Original size about 20 cm. x 14.5 cm. Width of column 8.5 cm. One column of twenty-three lines to the page. Wide margins, at the side 4 cm., at the foot 4.7 cm. Written in a large uncial hand with small uncial scholia in the margin. At the end of the line the letters are sometimes very minute. Vellum stained and difficult to decipher owing to transparency. Collated in the Oxford Demosthenes (Butcher). Oldfather 180.

*In Aristog.* I. 63 end-67 end.

### 126. DEMOSTHENES, *De Falsa Legatione*.

Inv. No. 1546 C. Third century. Acquired in 1906. 13.8 cm. x 7.3 cm. Imperfect leaf of papyrus codex. Remains of twenty-five lines on each side. Medium-sized sloping rather irregular uncial hand inclining to the cursive. No accents or breathings, one mark of elision. Collated with the Oxford text. Oldfather 162.

*De Fals. Leg.* 4-7, 12-13.

Recto.

. . . . . ] μη πα[ν]

§ 5 [τα ταυτα πεπρακται τι δηποτε] εκαστο[ν]

[οτι εκ μεν των απαγγελιων το [βο]υλε[ν]

[σασθαι περι των πραγματων]ν υμ[ι]ν εστι[ν]

5 [αν μεν ουν ωσιν αληθεις τα δεοντα εγνωτε

[αν δε μη τοιανται ταναυτια τ]ας δε συμβ[ουλι]

[ας πιστοτερας υπολαμβανει]ν αι τας των [πρε]

[σβεων ως γαρ ειδοτων περι ων ε]πεμφθησ[αν]

[ακουετε ουδεν ουν εξελεγχεσ]θαι δικαιο[ς]

10 [εστιν ο πρεσβευτης φανλον] ου[δ] ασυμφορον υμ[ι]ν

2. Either *δηποτε* or *τουτων* has been omitted. *εκαστον* L, om. S<sup>1</sup> vulg.

- § 6 [συμβεβουλευκως και μην]ν περι ων προσεταξα  
 [τ ειπειν η πραξαι και διαρ]ρηδην εψηφισασθε  
 [ποιησαι προσηκει διωι]κηκεναι ειεν των δε  
 [δη χρονων δια τι οτι πολλ]ακις ω ανδρες Αθηναι  
 15 [οι συμβαινει πολλων πρ]αγματος και μεγαλῶ  
 [καιρον εν βραχει χρο]νωι γιγνεσθαι ον εαν τις  
 [εκων καθυφηνι τοι]ς εναντιοις και προδω  
 [ουδ αν οτιουν] ποιηι παλιν οιος τ' εσται σω  
 § 7 [σαι αλλα μην υπε]ρ γε του προικα η μη το μεν  
 20 [εκ τουτων λαμβα]νειν εξ ων η πολις βλαπτε  
 [ται παντες οιδ ο]τι φησαιτ αν δεινον ειναι  
 [και πολλης οργης] αξιον ειναι ο μεντοι του  
 [νομον τιθεις ου διωρι]σε τουτο αλλ απλως ειπε  
 [μηδαμως δωρα] λα[μ]βανειν ηγουμενος εμοι  
 25 [δοκει τον απαξ λαβον]τα και διαφθαρεντα υπο

11. ων γε T(ext). 14. Possibly δη omitted. 21. ειναι δεινον T. 22. ειναι om. T.

To the top left-hand corner of the verso adheres a small fragment apparently from the following leaf. It reads:

ρ . . δ[  
 σιδι . τ[  
 τες [

Verso.

- . . . . .  
 ] . [  
 § 12 [πει]δ[η] το[ι]ν[υ]ν ταυτα πολιτευομενου τουτου τοτε  
 [και] τ[ο]υτο το δ[ειγμ] εξενηνοχοτος τους περι]  
 [της ει]ρη[ν]ης πρεσβεις πεμπειν ως Φιλιππον ε]  
 5 [πεισ]θητε υ[π] Αριστοδημου και Νεοπτολεμου]  
 [και Κτ]ησιφ[ωντος και των αλλων των εκειθεν]  
 [απ]αγ[γ]ελλ[οντων ουδ οτιουν υγιες γιγνεται]  
 των π[ρε]σβων το[υτων εις και ουτος]  
 ουχ ως των αποδω[σομενων τα υμετερα ου]  
 10 δ [ως] των πεπιστε[υκοτων τωι Φιλιππωι αλλ ως]  
 των φυλαξοντων το[υς αλλους δια γαρ τους προ]

2. Rather long.  
 Rather short.

3. περι αυτου after εξενηνοχοτος apparently omitted.

8, 9.

- ε[ι]ρημένους λόγους κα[ι τὴν πρὸς τὸν Φίλιππον α]  
 πεχ[θ]εῖαν ταυτὴν εὐκοτὼς ἀπαντὲς περὶ αὐ]  
 § 13 του εἰχ[ε]τε τὴν δοξα[ν] π[ροσελθὼν τοῖνυν ε]  
 15 μοι μετὰ ταῦτα συνετατ[ετο κοινῇ πρεσβευ]  
 εἰν καὶ ὅπως τὸν μίαιρον [καὶ ἀναιδῆ φυλαξομεν]  
 ἀμφοτέρους τὸν Φιλοκράτη[ν πολλὰ παρεκελευ]  
 σάτο καὶ μέχρι τοῦ δεῦρ ἐπαν[ελθεῖν ἀπο τῆς]  
 πρώτη[ς] πρεσβείας ἐμε γ οὖν ὦ [ἄνδρες Ἀθηναῖοι]  
 20 διεφθ[αρ]μένος καὶ πεπρακω[ς ἑαυτὸν ἐλάβθα]  
 γένω[ι] χωρὶς γὰρ τῶν ἄλλων ὦν [ὅπερ εἶπον εἰρηκεῖ προ]  
 τερὸν ἀναστὰς τῇ προτεραι τ[ῶν ἐκκλησιῶν ?]  
 ἐκκλησιῶν ἐν ἡμῇ περὶ τῆς εὐρηνης

12. Perhaps τὸν omitted. 13. περὶ αὐτοῦ πάντες T. 21. Rather long. 22.  
 Perhaps προτεραια[ι] with SYOQ: προτεραι LA Fr. Graf. ἐκκλησιῶν apparently repeated.  
 23. ἡμῇ: αἰς T.

### 127. DEMOSTHENES, *De Falsa Legatione*.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34473, art. 1. Second century. Acquired in 1893.  
 Four pages forming the inside leaves of a quaternion from a vellum codex. The  
 fourth page numbered 5 (= 6) in its upper margin. Each page originally  
 19 cm. x 16.5 cm. Two columns to the page. Dimensions of column 14 cm. x  
 5.5 cm. Margin above 2 cm., below 2.7 cm., between columns 1 cm. The four  
 inner columns are nearly complete. Thirty-six lines to a column. Small neat  
 uncial hand somewhat resembling that of the Herodas MS. Paragraphi and  
 occasional high stops with a few accents, elision marks, and breathings. Tran-  
 script by Kenyon in *Journal of Philology*, xxii (1894), pp. 247-261.

*De Fals. Leg.* 11-32.

### 128. DEMOSTHENES, *Contra Timocratem*.

Inv. No. 787. Second to third century. (Document in cursive of early third  
 century on the verso.) Acquired in 1900. 13 cm. x 14 cm. Lower part of two  
 columns. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized sloping uncial hand. No  
 breathings or accents and only one stop. P. Oxy. ii. 232, with plate; *Archiv* i,  
 p. 524 f.; Oldfather 175.

*Contra Tim.* 53-54, 56-58.

129. DEMOSTHENES, *Prooemia*.

Inv. No. 744. Second century. (Accounts of the second to third century on the verso.) Acquired in 1900. 11.5 cm. × 52.6 cm. Upper parts of seven columns. Width of column about 5.5 cm.; margin about 2 cm. Originally 24-25 lines to the column, but only 15-16 preserved in each column. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized broad carefully written uncial hand resembling the Bacchylides papyrus (No. 46). Paragraphi and line-filling signs by the original scribe. P. Oxy. i. 26, with plate; *Archiv* i, p. 116; Oldfather 185.

Προοίμια Δημηγορικὰ 26-29.

130. DEMOSTHENES, *Epistles*.

Inv. No. 133. First century B.C. Acquired in 1889. 24 cm. × 86 cm. Twelve complete columns with a marked slope to the right. Part of the same papyrus as No. 134 but in a different hand. Dimensions of column 17 cm. × 5.5 cm., space between columns 1 cm. 29-36 lines to the column. Written along the fibres. Extremely small delicate uncial hand. Pauses in the sense are marked by a circumflex stroke below the beginning of the line and a blank space in the text. A few corrections are made in the original hand. Collated in *Classical Texts*, pp. 56-62, with plate. Haeberlin 89; Oldfather 186.

*Third Epistle* (the end from § 38 ὀφειλόμενα is missing).

131. ISOCRATES, *De Pace*.

Inv. No. 132. First to second century. Acquired in 1889. The continuous portion measures 28 cm. × 213 cm., about one-half of the original roll, and includes twenty-five columns. The preceding fragments contain parts of nineteen columns. The beginning of the speech, entirely lost, probably occupied four columns. Dimensions of column 22 cm. × 7 cm. The earlier columns, written in a larger hand, are slightly narrower. Written along the fibres. Regular medium-sized uncial hand degenerating gradually into a semi-cursive. A few apparent paragraphi, otherwise no punctuation. Very few accents or breathings. Collated in *Classical Texts*, pp. 63-79, with two plates. Complete transcript by H. I. Bell in *Journal of Philology*, xxx (1907), pp. 1-83. Text discussed by L. M. W. Laistner in 'Isocratea' (*Class. Quarterly*, xv, 1921, pp. 78-84). Haeberlin 81; Oldfather 773.

*De Pace* 13-end.

For Isocrates, *Ad Demonium*, see No. 255.

132. HYPERIDES, *Orations*.

Inv. No. 108 + 115. Circ. A.D. 100. Acquired in 1872 and 1879. Originally procured in the neighbourhood of Thebes. Height of roll 30.5 cm. Columns 16 cm. x 5 cm. Space between columns 2 cm. Upper margin 6.5 cm., lower margin 8 cm. Columns of twenty-seven to thirty lines, leaning to the right. In the line thirteen to eighteen letters. Written along the fibres. Rounded rather elegant uncial hand. Punctuation by paragraphus and space in the line. Angular sign to fill up the line. Initial ι written ῑ, υ once or twice written ῡ. No. 108, in which are included the fragments discovered by O. C. Raphael (first published in Blass's third edition, 1894), now consists of thirty-eight fragments in thirteen frames. The original thirty-two fragments were published in lithograph facsimile by A. C. Harris in 1848. No. 115, consisting of forty-eight columns and measuring 343 cm. in length, was edited first in 1853 by Joseph Arden and Churchill Babington with facsimile. Partial facsimiles in *Cat. of Anc. MSS.* plates 2 and 3; *Pal. Soc.* i. 126. Haeberlin 92, 94; Oldfather 753. Latest editions, Kenyon (1906) and Jensen (1917), in which the papyrus is denoted A. See also Schröder, 'Beiträge zur Wiederherstellung des Hyperides-Textes' in *Hermes*, lvii (1922), pp. 450-464; A. Körte, 'Die Zeitbestimmung von Hypereides' Rede für Lykophron' in *Hermes*, lviii (1923), pp. 230-237.

*In Demosthenem* (no. 108), *Pro Lycophrone* (nos. 108, 115), *Pro Euxenippo* (no. 115).

133. HYPERIDES, *Epitaphius*.

Inv. No. 98 (verso). Second century (?). (Horoscope of A.D. 95 or 155 on the recto.) Acquired in 1857. 23 cm. x 102 cm. Column 19.5 cm. x 8 cm. Margin at top 2.5 cm. Thirteen consecutive columns of thirty-three to forty-four lines leaning to the right and divided from each other by ruled lines. Written across the fibres. Coarse unformed uncial hand full of mistakes. Punctuation by paragraphus (often wrongly placed) and space in the line, with high point or short oblique stroke. No original accents or breathings. Initial ι often written ῑ. The angular sign is used to fill up the line, occasionally also a lengthy horizontal stroke as if to bring the copy into line with the exemplar. First edition by Ch. Babington (1858), with complete engraved facsimile. Plate 4 in *Cat. of Anc. MSS.* Haeberlin 97; Oldfather 756. S in Kenyon and Jensen.

134. HYPERIDES, *In Philippidem*.

Inv. No. 134. First century B.C. Acquired in 1889. Largest fragment 24 cm. x 49.3 cm. Columns 15 cm. x 4.3 cm. Space between columns 1 cm. Margin at top 3.5 cm., at bottom 5 cm. Last nine columns complete, with fragments from earlier columns. (The remainder of the roll contains the beginning of the Third Epistle of Demosthenes, No. 130 above, in a different hand.) Lines in column 26-28, with 16-19 (generally 17) letters to the line. The columns lean markedly to the right. Written along the fibres. Small neat uncial hand. The form of A is characteristic, like Δ but with a loop in the left-hand corner, as in some of the Herculean papyri. Ligatures are frequent and strongly marked. A paragraphus, straight or circumflex, denotes a pause; a longer pause is indicated by leaving a blank space equivalent to one or two letters. The angular sign > (or more rarely =) is used to fill up the line. *Classical Texts*, pp. 42-55, with plate; Haeberlin 95; Oldfather 754. L in Kenyon and Jensen.

135. HYPERIDES (?), *Pro Lycophrone*.

Inv. No. 2468. Second to third century. Acquired in 1922. Height 27.5 cm. Forty-seven fragments representing at least ten columns. Dimensions of column 22 cm. x 6 cm. Lines in column 39-40 with 11-18 (usually 13-15) letters to the line. Written along the fibres. Upright, rather irregular uncial hand, the letters being usually somewhat widely separated. The high stop is employed and the line-filling sign at the end of short lines. ι adscript is written; ι and υ have occasional diaereses. P. Oxy. xiii. 1607, with plate. Attributed by the editors to Hyperides, but different from his other speech for Lycophron. See too A. Körte, *Archiv* vii, pp. 158-160; *Hermes*, lviii (1923), p. 231 f. Oldfather 757.

## 136. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1825. Circ. 280-240 B.C. Acquired in 1909. 19.2 cm. x 40 cm. Remains of six columns. Width of column 6 cm. Written along the fibres. Handsome medium-sized uncial of early type. Punctuation by paragraphus and horizontal dash. P. Hib. i. 15, with plate; K. Jander, *Orat. et Rhet. Graec. Fragg.* (*Kleine Texte*, no. 118, 1913), pp. 31 ff.; see also K. Fuhr in *Berl. Phil. Woch.* 1906, p. 1414. Exhortation to the Athenians, perhaps put into the mouth of Leosthenes (Blass) after the death of Alexander. This interpretation, however, rests on an extremely doubtful reading, l. 58, ἐν ταῖς ἀρωγὰς καθήμενον. Körte in

*Archiv* vi, p. 237 gives reason to regard the speaker as some Athenian strategus and the composer as an historian of the fourth century, perhaps Anaximenes or Theopompus. Oldfather 907.

Speech of an Athenian general.

## 137. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 490. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 17 cm. x 16.7 cm. Portions of three columns. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized, rather irregular and undecorative uncial hand. Both paragraphus and dash are employed to mark pauses. P. Petr. i. 10, with plate; Jander, *Orat. et Rhet. Graec. Fragg.* p. 21 f.; Haeberlin 83; Oldfather 906. New readings in *Cl. Rev.* xxxvi (1922), p. 165. Col. i (not transcribed before). 1 ]. is 2 ]. δια 5 ]κορειω 6 ε]πισυμ 7 αυ]δρειαι 9 ]εκαιδι 10 ]υμεν 11 ]πον αλλα 12 ]και μην 22 ]ω 23 οντ. 24 ]νος γαρ 25 ]τω.

Λόγος προτροπτικός with praise of Achilles and Patroclus.

## 138. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 256 (verso). First century. (On the recto are documents of A.D. 5-15). Acquired in 1893. Height of roll 27.5 cm. Length about 146 cm. exclusive of several detached fragments. Composite roll, one κόλλημα of which has been arranged in the reverse way to the rest. Remains of at least 10 columns of 38-45 lines. Dimensions of columns 21-23 cm. x 16 cm. The surface is badly damaged and difficult to decipher. Written across the fibres (save in the case of the κόλλημα mentioned). Small cursive hand with many abbreviations, similar to the first hand of the 'Αθηναίων Πολιτεία (No. 108). Marginal signs occasionally mark divisions. No punctuation. The multitude of corrections suggests that we have the composer's original MS. Parts of two, perhaps three speeches, are preserved, the subject of the first and third being apparently a δίκη ξενίας, of the second a δίκη κλοπῆς. The absence of names alone would prove that the speeches are mere rhetorical exercises. Part of the second speech was edited by Kenyon as 'Fragments d'Exercices de Rhétorique' in *Mélanges Henri Weil* (1898), pp. 243-248. *Archiv* i, p. 117 f.; Oldfather 112.

Rhetorical Pleas, or rather τόποι δικανικοί (Cr.).

## Col. i.

A few letters from the ends of lines alone remain.

## Col. ii.

οὐδὲ οἱ παραπλήσ' ἰοι, ὥστε τὸν π[αρόντα καλ]ῖρον σκοπεῖ ὁ νομοθέτης,  
οὐ τὸν  
ἐσόμενον, ἐπεὶ πάντες ἄνθρωποι κλέπται καὶ πάντες ἱερόσυλοι τῶι ἐλπί-  
ζεσθαι· ἄλλως τε οὐδὲ αἱ [κατ]αδικασθεῖσα[ι ἀ]ναιρεθήσονται πᾶσαι  
(αἱ) γ(ὰρ) τῆς κνήσε-  
ως τὰς ἐλπίδας ἀποβλέπουσαι οὐκ ἂν ἀν[η]ροῦντο, ἄλλως τε εἰ κ(αὶ) τὰς  
μελλούσας,  
5 ἀλλ' οὖν τὰς νομίμως συνειληφύϊας—οὐδέποτε γ(ὰρ) νόμος ἐπὶ παρανόμωι  
τινὶ γίγνεται—ὥστε οὗτος παράνομος· τὸν δὲ γνήσιον πολίτην ὁ νόμος  
βούλεται σε-  
σῶσθαι, οὗτος δὲ κ(αὶ) εἰ ἐγεννήθη ὑπὸ τοῦ φύσει πατρὸς κ(αὶ) οὐ λέγω  
ὑπὸ κακοῦργ(ων)  
[καὶ] θανάτῳ κατεγνωσμένων ἀλλὰ ὑπ' αὐτοῦ [τ]ούτου, ὥσπερ παράνομός  
(ἐστι). δ[ύ]να-  
ται μ(έν) γ(ὰρ) κ(αὶ) ἐπὶ τῶν μὴ εἰς τὴν πολιτείαν ἀναγραφομένων σῶζεσθαι  
τ(ήν) μ[η]τ[έ]ρα  
10 ν . . . . μῆδὲ μὴν δύνασθαι α . . . . . τυχεῖν οἷον ἐκ δούλης ἢ ξένης ἢ ἐταί-  
ρ[ας] σ[ώ]ζεται . . . . ἔννομον τῶιδε κεκωλυμένους τοῦτο πεπραχέναι  
. . [ . . . . ] ν μ(έν)τοι γε τὸ μὴ ἐνγραφῆναι τῶιδε ἐξ ἀμφοῖν τὴν ἀστειότητα  
σεσῶσθαι  
. [ . . . . ] μ(έν) τὸ μὴ παράνομον μῆδένα ἐσόμενον ἐν τῇ πολιτείᾳ. τοῦτο  
δὲ κ(αὶ)  
{παράνο]μον κ(αὶ) κ[α]τ[α] . . ε . ον διὰ τὸ κ(αὶ) τὴν ἀρχὴν παράνομον (εἶναι)·  
κ(αὶ) γ(ὰρ) διαθήκ(αι) παρὰ νόμ(ον)  
15 [γραφεῖ]σθαι ἄκν[ρο]ι καθεστᾶσιν κ(αὶ) τότε τοῦ νομοθέτου ἐπιτρέψαντος δια  
[ . . . . . ] . αἱ ἀλλ' ὥς] παράνομον ἀκυροῦται· Ναί, φησὶν· ἀλλὰ ἔφθη ἑξα-  
πατήσας  
[ . . . . . ] . . κει . . . ετ . . οτ . . καιτ . . φ . . . προα[ρ]α[ρ]ασι σὺν καὶ τῶι δελεᾶσαι  
[ . . . . . ] ιναχρ . . . . . [ὥ]φελθῆναι κ(αὶ) τὰ π[ί]λοιπα συγχωρεῖται. οὐ γ(ὰρ)  
εἰ τις οἰκέ-

8. δύναται = δυνατόν ἐστι.  
citizenship', a unique usage.

11. 1. κεκωλυμένως?  
15. [γραφεῖ]σθαι: Hunt.

12. ἀστειότητα: apparently

της ... αὐτῶν . . . . ν . . . . [ἐ]λεύθερον (εἶναι) μετάσχηι δὲ τῶν ἐλευθερι-  
 20 κῶ[ν δικαί]ων . . . ἐπιγυνωσθέντα ἕτερον τῶι πρότερον εἰρηκέναι μενεῖ  
 . . . . . κ(αὶ) χρ . . . . . ἐλε . . . . . νόμῳ οὐδ' εἴ τις ξενίας ἀλούς τ . .  
 . ω . . . . νεα . . . . . ἐξηπατηκέναι τεύξεται κ(αὶ) ὕστερον τῆς πολειτείας  
 λεγο . . . . . λαβρος . . . . s μεταποησάμενος ἀποτινω . . .  
 δ . ν . . [εὐ]γενείας οὐχὶ κ(αὶ) ἀφ[α]ιρεθήσεται ταύτης οὐδὲ δ [π]ροσποεῖται ἐ-  
 25 τ . . . . [γ]ενόμενος κ(αὶ) τὰ μὴ πρ(οσ)ήκοντα κληρονομήσας οὗτος οὐχ . . .  
 . . . . . του . . . . . ωστέον τῶι εἰπεῖν κ(αὶ) ἐξαπατήσα[s] συγχωρεῖ . . .  
 αμε . . . α . . . τοὺς νόμους . . ἐπρ . . ἐξετάζειν ἀνάγκη, ὥστε κ(αὶ) κατα . . ετο  
 ειν . . . . . εἰσὶ τὰ τε . να . . . . . ἐξαπατήσασα ἐπ(ε)λὶ μάτην ξεν . .  
 διω  
 κ(αὶ) εἶδ . . . . . ω . . . . . ερ . ει τότε ὅτε ἐκύησεν ἔγκυος (εἶναι), ἡμεῖς ἐτάσαντες  
 30 ἐγν[ώκαμεν τὴν] ἀλήθειαν κ(αὶ) ἀνείλομ(εν) νόμον <ὄν> κατηγορεῖτε ἱταμῶς  
 ὥστε νῦν  
 ἀνα . . . . . ωι τῶι τότε ἀνηι . νετ . αι καθέστηκεν, ἄλλως τε . . .  
 πα . . . . . μενος παράνομος ὑπάρχων· [κ(αὶ)] γ(ὰρ) ὁ ἐκ μεμοιχευμένης  
 οὐδὲ δ ἐξεσ-  
 ται . . . . . βουλῆς παῖς· οὐ γ(ὰρ) εἰς τὴν πολειτείαν οἱ τοιοῦτοι ἀνα-  
 γρ(άφονται), ὥστε εἰ  
 . νν . . . . . να ἐκ τῆσδε, ὡς μὴ δύνασθαι ἀναγρ(αφῆς) τυχεῖν οὐκέτι παῖς  
 35 του . . . . . μῆμ . . μεσον . . . . . συνηθείαι κοινῇ κ(αὶ) σιωπῇ  
 νοεῖτε  
 κ . . . . . πατην [πολι]τεία φ[η]μὶ ἔσται τοῦτο περισώζων ὅτε κ(αὶ)  
 αὐτὴν βούλετ(αι)  
 . . . . . ὥστε δι' αὐτὴν κ(αὶ) ἕτερον οὐκ ἂν θέλοι περισώζειν ἄλλου δ'  
 αὐ τοῦτον  
 ηκ . . . . . ων ἄδειαν δέδωκεν τοῦ κ(αὶ) ἐκτιθέναι, ὥστε ὑπ' ἑαυτοῦ  
 του . . [ . . . . . πα]ρέδρους δώσει κ(αὶ) φυλάξει τὴν κεκυηκυῖαν, ἐπεὶ τού-  
 40 του συντ[ . . . . . ]τηρ τις ἐκθρέψαι τυ . . . . . δέ τινες οἱ πε[ρὶ] αὐτοῦ λέγοντες  
 . . . ησσε  
 ὅτι . . . . . ἐπίτροποι καθίστανται τούτων τῶν ἀφηλίκων. ἐροῦσιν  
 πολλοὶ γοῦν κ(αὶ)

24. It is tempting to read ἐξ ἐταίρας, following on ll. 10, 18 f., 21, but there is not room, and to read <ἐξ> ἐ[τ[αί]ρ[ας] is open to the objection that the next letter visible after τ looks more like ε than ρ. 28. Not τὰ τέκνα.

πρὸ τοῦ δικαστηρίου παραγραφῆσθαι τὴν δὴ παρεκελεύσαντο· κ(αὶ) γ(ὰρ)  
 πάνυ εὐγενὴς ἐκ-  
 δύει πρ . . . . . οὐ γεγεννημένος ἢ οὗ υἱός (ἐστι) κ(αὶ) τοὺς παῖδας σὺν τοῖς  
 προδόταις

42. 1. παραγράφεσθαι? But the whole clause is obscure and probably corrupt. The τ is very doubtful. 43. Not προδότης apparently.

## Col. iii.

οἷ . ωσ . . . . . [ . . . . . ] . . . . . τοῦ [ . . . ] σ . [ . . ] . αξεῖ κ(αὶ) . . . . . [ . . . . . ]  
 οὐ τόπου τρ[ύτου]  
 τ . . . ε . τὴν ἐπήνει [ τοὺς δ ] ἐσμους ἐπήρτησε τοῖς κακούργοις [ . . . . . ]  
 εὖνος αὐτῶν  
 φησὶ γ(ὰρ) τὴν πονηρίαν τοῦτο πεποιηκ(έναι) ἔκ γε τοῦ παρόντος ἐπαι . . . .  
 [ . . . . . δεσ ] μωτηρίω  
 ᾧς ἐπαινοῦσα ἐφωράθη.

5 Παρακα(τέ)θετό τις φίλῳ τάλα[ν]τον· ἐκεῖνος παραγενόμενος σὺν αὐτῷ  
 κατῶ-  
 ρυξεν ἐν ιδίῳ χωρίῳ τὴν παρακαταθήκη[ν]· ὕστερον εὗρεν ἐπελθὼν τὸν  
 παρα-  
 καταθέμενον ὑφαιρούμενον τὸ τάλαντον· κλοπῆς αὐτὸν κρίνει.  
 τὰ μ(έν) ἄλλα κεφάλαια φανερά κ(αὶ) πρόδηλα, ὅτι τὰ ἑαυτοῦ ἔκλεψε κ(αὶ)  
 ὅτι κ(αὶ) ἐπὶ τῶν  
 τὰ ἴδια κλεπτόντων (ἐστὶ) δίκη· (ἐστι) δὲ τ[ὸ] κατασκευαζόμε[νο]ν τοῦτο,  
 ὅτι διὰ τῶν ἑαυτοῦ  
 10 τὰ ἐκείνου ἔκλεπτεν· ἐπεὶ διὰ τί, δυνάμε[ος] λαβεῖν καὶ παραλιπὼν τὸν  
 νόμιμον  
 τῆς κλοπῆς τρόπον, ὀφ(ε)ίλων κομ[ί]σασθαι, νυκτὸς ἐπήρχετο λεληθότως  
 μόνος,  
 κλέπτων κ(αὶ) τὴν εἰς τὸ χωρίον εἴσ[ο]δον, ἀν[αβ]ᾶ[ς] μετ' ἀργαλείων, οὐ  
 μεθ' ἡμέραν δέ,  
 ὥς κ(αὶ) παρέθετο, δίχα αὐτοῦ; κ(αὶ) γ(ὰρ) εἴ[ς] οἱ κλέπτ[αι] ταῦτα ἐδύναντο  
 κεκτῆσθαι ὥς

5-44. *Mélanges Weil*, pp. 245-247. 8. ἑαυτοῦ ἔκλεψε corr. from ἑμαντοῦ ἔκλεψε.  
 10. A more logical construction would be got by placing ὀφείλων κομίσασθαι after λαβεῖν  
 καί. 11. κλοπῆς: 1. κομιδῆς H(aussoullier). 12. 1. ἐργαλείων H. 13. Second  
 ὥς = ὥστε, so that ἀπατήσαντας must be corrected to -τες; or, better, correct ὥς to τῷ.

ἀπαιτήσαντας λαβεῖν, οὐκ ἂν ταῦτ' ἔπραττον. εἶπω ὅτι καὶ τὴν εἴσοδον  
 αὐτὴν  
 15 κλέπτου ἐπεδείκνυτο ὡς τρέμων κ(αὶ) περιβλεπόμενος κ(αὶ) κατὰ μικρὸν  
 κου-  
 φοῖς τοῖς ποσὶν ἐπιβαίνων ὡς δεδοικῶς μή τις ἴδῃ; ἀλλ[ὰ] ταῦτα τῷ  
 δικάζε-  
 σθαι ἴσω[ς ο]ὐκ ἂν πιστεύσαιτε· προσθῶ δὲ κ(αὶ) ἐκεῖνα, ὡς κ(αὶ) ἐπεδίω-  
 κον, ὁ δ' ὕ-  
 πεξέφευγε ταπ(ε)νῶν ἑαυτὸν κ(αὶ) μηδὲν βουλόμενος [λέγ]ειν; τίς οὖν ἡ  
 πρόφασις;  
 Ἡπειγόμεν, φησὶν. ποῖαν ἔπειξιν; τίνα γ(ὰρ) ἑ[ξ]ἑυρες; ἔτι [τί ἐγ]ένε[το];  
 εἰ ἑωνεῖ[το οὐκ ἂν] εἶ-  
 20 τα ἀπεδίδου τὴν τιμὴν, ἀλλ' ἐπεδίδου δάνειον· τί τούτων ἡν[ό]κλει; κατὰ  
 [γ(ὰρ) τοῦτο ὕ-]  
 περθέσθαι σε ἔδει κ(αὶ) βραδύναι μᾶλλον, μὴ παρὰ <τὸ> νόμιμον τὴν  
 κομιδ[ή]ν ποιῆσαι, ἣ  
 ταχύναι πρ(ὸς) τὸ παράνομο[ν]. ἀλλ' οὐδ' ἔστιν εὐρεῖν [ἔπ]ειξιν οὐδὲ  
 βουλομένῳ πλανᾶσθ(αι).  
 βούλει δὲ κ(αὶ) τοῦτο δῶ, ὡς ἡπείγου; τί τὸ ὄφ[ε]λο[ς] τούτου; ἔδει γ(ὰρ)  
 ἑ[λ]θόντα μηνῦσαι· οὐ  
 γ(ὰρ) πολὺ πῶρρωθεν ὤκει τοῦ χωρίου, ἀλλ' [ἐν τ]ῇ[ς] [ἐ]παύλει· εὐθέως  
 γοῦν κ(αὶ) ἦσθετο.  
 25 κ(αὶ) τοι γε εἰ κ(αὶ) ἡπείγετο, μᾶλλον γε ἐν τάχει αὐτὴν ἂν ἡρεῖτο δυοῖν  
 ὄντοι  
 τῶν κ(αὶ) ὀρουσόντων. νῦν δὲ κ(αὶ) κίνδυνον ὑπέστη· εἰ γ(ὰρ) βαλὼν  
 ἀπέκτει-  
 [να] ὡς κλέπτην, ἐτεθνήκει ἄν, εἰ [δέ καί] τις ἦρ[ε]τό με, τίν' ἀπέκτεινας;  
 [ἑλ]εγον  
 ἂν οὐ τὸν παρακαταθέμενον ἀλλὰ τὸν ὑπε[ξ]αιρούμενον, οὐδὲ τὸν  
 πιστεύσαν-

15. κλέπτ[ων] K(enyon).

17. Something apparently deleted before the first κ(αι).

19. ἑωνεῖτ[ο, οὐκ ἂν ἔπει]τα K., but there is not room for this. It may even be doubted whether there is room for ἄν.

20. I. ἡνώχλει (there is not room for ω in the text).

21. ποιήσαι(ς) K. 25. μᾶλλον δέ, ὄντων K., ν of δυοῖν corr. 26. τῶν ὀρουσόντων possible.

28. ὑπε[ξ]αιρούμενον: the letter after the lacuna seems to be ξ rather than φ.

τα ἀλλὰ τὸν ἐπιβουλεύσαντ[α· σ]ῶμ[α ὁμοιό]τατον, ψυχὴ δὲ διάφορος καὶ  
 ποικίλη·  
 30 ἐπεὶ ἐπίστευσά ποτε ἂν ὡ[ς εἴη ὁ τὸ χρυσίον] πιστεύσας αὐτὸ[ς] ὁ κλέπ-  
 των; τίνος  
 χάριν; τί δέ; νύκτωρ οὐκ (ἔστιν) [σαφῶς ἰδεῖν] τι, καὶ βοήσαντός μου  
 καὶ πυνθανομένου  
 μου τίς εἴη ἡσύχασεν ἑαυτὸν ἐν[καλύψα]ς πρ(ὸς) τὸ μηκέθ' ὀρᾶσθαι. ὥστε  
 ἔκλεπτε  
 μ(έν) ταῦτα, ἐβούλετο δὲ λαβεῖν ἕτερ[α παρ' ἐμο]ῦ καὶ μεθ' ἡμέραν (ἂν)  
 ἀπήιτει. Ναί, φησίν,  
 εἴπας ἂν ἀπολωλέκεναι. καὶ τί ἂν ὦφ[ελέθ]ην; οὐχὶ πρ(ὸς) τῷ βλάπτεσθαι  
 καὶ) πρ(οσ)υβριζοίμ(ην);  
 35 οὐκ ἂν ταῦτ' ἔλεγες Ἐγὼ ἐπίστευσά [χρυσί]ον ἀπ' ἐμα[υ]τοῦ, κίνδυνον  
 ἐμ[οῖ] μετήνεγκα  
 ἵνα μοι λέγῃς' Ἀπώλεσα; νόμος σε οὖν ἀπαλλάτ(τ)ε[ι κ]ἂν [ἀπ]ολέσης;  
 δεῖ[ξι]ον· οὐχ ὁ νομοθέτης κ(αὶ) τοὺς  
 ἀπολέσαντας ἠνάγκασεν ἐκτίνε[ιν] ἵνα μὴ πολλ[ὰ] πολλάκις ὑποκρίνονται; τί  
 [δέ; εἰ] κ(αὶ) ἦν γεγραμμένος, οὐκ ἂν πρ(οσ)εξημά[ρτανε]ς λέγων Ἄλλ'  
 οὐκ ἀπώλεσα, κλέπται γ(ὰρ)  
 ἔλαβον; πότε; τίνων ἰδόντων; τίνων [ἄλ]λων ἀπολο[μ]ένων; οὐκ ἂν ἐξ  
 εἰκ[ό]των  
 40 ἀπεδείκνυες. πότε γ(ὰρ) ἄλλοτε ἦλθον εἰς τὸ χωρίον ἄλλοι ἢ ὁπῆνικα  
 ἀπεθέμ[η]ν; τίς  
 γ(ὰρ) ἦιδει; οὐκ ἐγὼ μόνος κ(αὶ) σὺ κατωρύξαμ(εν); εἰ δὲ κλέψαι τινὲς  
 ἤρχοντο, οὐκ ἂν ἐπὶ τὴν  
 ἔπαυλιν ἦλθον, οὐκ ἂν ἐκεῖνα διώρυττον· οὐδεὶς γ(ὰρ) ἐπὶ χωρίον ἄλλ' ἐπὶ  
 [οἰκίαν] παραγί(νεται)·  
 κ(αὶ) πολλοὶ τὰ μ(έν) κατορωρυγμένα παρῆλθον μηδ' ὑπονοήσαντες, τὰ δὲ  
 φυλαττό-  
 μενα κλέπτειν ἐπεχείρησαν. ἀλλὰ κ(αὶ) διώρυξαν· δ(ε)ῖξον· κ(αὶ)τοι εἰ  
 κ(αὶ) διώρυξαν

31. τι om. K.  
 ἀπελύσατο K.

34. ὦφ[έλησε]ν K.  
 38. πρ(οσ)εξη[γρίαινε]ς K.

35. ταῦτ': τάδε K.

36. ἀπαλλάτ(τ)ε[ι]:

corrects κλέψαι το κλέπται, which is unnecessary; ἔρχομαι κλέψαι = ἔρχομαι ὡς κλέψων.

43. η of μηδ a corr.

δὲ φυλαττόμενα: δ[ια]φυλαττόμε[ν]α K.

44. ἀλλὰ κ(αὶ): ἀλλ' [ἀ] K.

## Col. iv.

[.....] ταῦτα σὺ ὑπέ... εὐω... πησε δρᾶν... [.....]. α ἵνα  
τὰμὰ  
ἀπ[ο]στερέσῃς... ξ... τοῖς ἄλλοις οὐκ ἀπιστίαν, οὐ πονηρίαν, <sup>καλ...</sup> οὐ παρα-  
[[κατα]]θήκης ἂν δί-  
καία ἀνατετροφέναι ἔλεγες ἐκ... αὐ... α λέγων ἀνεπράττου ἂν παρ' ἐμοῦ,  
πῶς  
οὐχὶ πρόδηλον ὥς κ(αὶ) ἀπολέσας ἂν... α... θειν; Ναί, φησὶν· μηδὲν οὖν  
σου ὑφελόμε-  
5 νος μηδὲ λαβὼν δώσω κλοπῆς δίκην; Ναί· διὰ γ(ὰρ) τούτων τὰ ἐμὰ  
ἔκλειψας, κ(αὶ)  
ὥσπερ εἰ συμβόλαιον κείμενον π[αρ' ἐ]μοὶ ὑφείλου δίκην ἂν ἐδεδώκεις  
οὐ τοῦ  
βυβλιδίου ἀλλὰ τῶν ἐκ τούτου συνημμένων εἰς ὠφελίαν, τὸν αὐτὸν  
τρόπον  
κ(αὶ) ἐπὶ τούτων <sup>του</sup>... πη... ω... των τοῖς πραχθεῖσιν η... της πρ(ὸς) αὐτὰ  
τὰ γενόμε-  
να ἀναπέμπεται. κ(αὶ) εἰ μέρος ἐνέπρησας ἰδίας οἰκίας, ἐκ δὲ ταύτης πόλις  
ὅλη ἐ-  
10 φλέγη, οὐκ ἂν τοῦ μέρους τὴν δίκ[η]ν ἐδίδους. ὅταν δὲ λέγῃς· Μηδὲ ἐν οὖν  
λ[α]βὼν μηδὲ ὑ[φελόμενος] κλοπῆς] δώσω δίκην, ἐκεῖνο [ἀληθ]εῖαι οὐ πρ(ὸς)  
τὴν σὴν ὥφε-  
[λί]αν ὁ νόμος ἀπ[ο]... εῤαχ[.....] ἐμὴν βλάβην κε... [.. ὑ]φελόμενος  
ἀπολε-  
σείας εἴθ' ἥσσονος πωλήσ[ειας... εἴ]τε κ(αὶ) ἕτερόν τι πρ(οσ)πα... ης  
τῆς γε κλοπῆς  
ἐγὼ τὴν δίκην λήψομαι [... ..] εμεσ παρ' ἐμοῦ λαμβάνειν τοῦτο ὥς  
15 ἀπόλωλε δίκ(αὶ)ως δῆλον ὅτι [... ἔ]κλεπτες τὰμὰ δι' ὧν ἔμελλες καὶ αἰ-  
τήσας  
λαμβάνειν. ἀλλ' ἐρεῖς... [... ..] ν... τοῦτο μ(έν) τύχης κ(αὶ) θεοῦ κ(αὶ)  
δαίμονος  
οὐδεὶς ἦν... αησ... [... ..] δέλεαρ ἐμοὶ θηρὸς τρόπον προθεὶς εἰς

3. Perhaps ἐκη (= ἐκεῖ?) ταῦτα. But the meaning and construction are then very obscure.  
8. The traces suggest ἡπητής, which is strange here but is perhaps used metaphorically.

ἐπιβουλήν οὐχὶ .....[...]... διὰν εὖρηκε ἀλλὰ κ(αὶ) χ(ε)ιρόνων προ(σ)υ-  
φέξῃι.

ⲓ—ⲥ

N[ΟΜΟΞ]

20 τὸν κλέπτ[οντα] πενταπ[λάσιον τὸ] φώρειον ἐκ[τίνειν]  
πρὸ μ(έν) πάντῳ[ν] οὐτ' ἄξιον [...]. . . . . ποτε οὐτ[ε . . .] . . . . . [ . . . . . ]  
ἀπο . . .

τούτων ἐφο . [ . . ] κ . . ἀδικεῖτ[ . . . . . τ]ιμωρίαν [<sup>ἐρίξει</sup> ἐλ . . . ]· κ(αὶ) γ(ὰρ) εἰ μὴ  
ἐκέρδηεν ἀπό γε  
τῆς κλοπῆς ἀ[ . . . ]· εἰσιν [ . . . . . ]· ἀδικήματα κατὰ μέγεθος ὧν ποιεῖ  
τις τε-

τιμώρηται ἀ[ . . . ]· εὐτο τ[ . . . ]· [ἀνα]πέμπεται καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν γνώμην ἐ[<sup>δε</sup> ἰ] γ(ὰρ)  
25 [τὸ]ν ὑβριστὴν [ . . . ]· ου . εν [ . . . ] . . . . . μπλήξας οὐδὲ τὸν προδότην  
προσ . σ . . υς

προὔδωκεν [ . . . ] . . . . . παι[ . . . ]ο . . . . . ντας ὡς πηλίκον κατε . . . ε νόμον,  
ἀλλὰ

κὰν ἐκ μέρου[ς . . . ] . . . . . μῆι[ . . . ] η, αὐτὸς κολάζεται· ἔδει τοίνυν κ(αὶ) τὸν  
κλέπτην

. . . . . ἀδικ . . . . . [ . . . ] . . . . . ἀλλ' ἀπ' αὐτοῦ τοῦ ἀδικήματος κ(αὶ)  
κολάσας.

ἀλλ' οὐδὲ μὲν[ . . . ] . . . . . ἀκόλουθον· εἰ γ(ὰρ) ἀπὸ τῶν  
περὶ τὸ ἀδίκημα κο-

30 λάξιν . . . ει οἱ[ . . . ] . . . . . τοῦτο παρανομεῖ. τὸ γ(ὰρ) φώρειον  
δεῖν <sup>πν</sup>δεκαπλάσιον ἐκ

τλει . . . ει βυβλ[ιδι] . . . . . οὐτ' ἥρκει διπλ[ο]ῦν ἵνα ἐν τῷ ἴσῳ  
τοῦ ἀδικήμα-

τος κ(αὶ) . . ἐπιτ[ι]μ . . . κ(αὶ) . . π . . ν . . πάνυ μειζόνων κ(αὶ) ἐν σῶμα σὸν  
τὸ αὐτὸ εὐρήσομ(εν)

. . . νετο ἡ ξεν[ . . . ] σ . . . . . τεπ . . . . . τῷ ἴσῳ τοῦ πάθους <sup>...σσ...</sup>τιμωρίας  
πάλιν ἔχω-

19. A symbol rather different from those at col. iii. 4 and col. v. 37 stands here.  
30. The intention was apparently to alter δεκαπλασιον to πενταπλασιον but only πν was written. 32. Neither ἐπίτιμον nor ἐπιτίμημα suits the traces well. Before it τὸ could be read, but the genitive is hardly possible.

- σεν ὁ δ' ἐντετ . . . . . εφο . . . . . υ ἐφονεύθη ἴσα τὰδικήματα ταῖς  
τιμωρίαις
- 35 ἐπι[ο.] τοῦτο [ο.] . . . . . τε[ο.] . . . . . ν. κ(αὶ) μηδεὶς λεγέτω· τὸ γ(ὰρ)  
ἀδύνατον κωλύ[ει]ν
- ἐπι . . . . . ων εν [ο.] ἄχομεν . . . . . ισται οἶον ἐπὶ τ[ο]ῦ πηρῶσαι. διὰ τί  
γ(ὰρ) οὐχί; ἐ[ῖ]εν . . .
- ι . ους . . . . . ειεν . . . . . δυο [ο.] . . . . . η κ(αὶ) ἄλλο τι τῶν μερῶν οὐδ' ἐπὶ  
τῶν ἄλ-
- λων<sup>δ</sup> ὅτιοῦν . . . . . τα [ο.] . . . . . ν, ἀλλὰ κ(αὶ) οὐδὲ ψόγον ἐνδεχόμενον ἐκ  
πολλῶν
- . [ο.] . . . . . λαθειν . . . . . ν [ο.] . . . . . π[ο]αραλιπὼν τοὺς εὐπρεπεῖς τοῦ ζῆν πόρους  
ἐπ' ἄλλο-
- 40 τρίαν οἰκίαν π. θ. οἷε. [ο.] . . . . . ν . . . . . αρ τε κ(αὶ) τῶν δικ(αί)ων ἔργων  
ἀποχὴν λαμβά-
- νουσιν μηδὲ . . . . . τ . . . . . [ο.] . . . . . ἀλλὰ ἐφόνευσεν τὸν ἐντευξό-  
μεν[ον]
- κ' . . . . . επεαξι . . . . . [ο.] . . . . . παμπόλλας τοιχωρυχῶν κ(αὶ)  
λεληθῶς
- π[ο]λέμιον ἐ . . . . . ων ἡρεμεί; ἐγὼ μ(έν) οἶμαι· ἐπεὶ τί φῆς  
εἰ μ(έν) τις φεύ[γω]ν ζῆ . . . . . θεήλατος ἢ δίκη, εἰ δ' ἐπ' ἄλλοτρίαν  
οἰκίαν παραγί(νεται)
- 45 οὐκ αν ἐπιτή[δ]ειος . . . . . [ἐξ]ελασθῆναι [[σχεδὸν γ(ὰρ) εἰς ἕκαστος]]
37. μερῶν: doubtful; ρ seems to be a correction. 45. σχεδὸν κτλ. bracketed in  
the MS.

## Col. v.

- σχεδὸν γ(ὰρ) εἰς ἕκ[αστος] . . . . . τοῦ πέλας (ἐστὶν) οἰκίας φυγὰς. οὐ μὴν δὲ  
ἀλλὰ καὶ ὥς α . . . . .
- παρέσται. οὐκοῦν [οὔτος] ἐξούλης ἔνοχος (ἐστί); Ναί, φησὶν· ἀλλὰ κ(αὶ)  
ἀν. ὀλισσόμενος κ(αὶ) πόσον
- μᾶλλον μισεῖν . . . . . τῆς ψυχῆς ὧνιον κέρδος ποιη[σάμε]νον ὅστις ἀνα-  
σχέσθαι
- κακοῦ δύναιτο ἀλλὰ . . . . . ιος ὅτι τοῖς ἀδικήμασιν τοῦ 16 letters
- πρ(ο)στάσ-
- 5 σεις κ(αὶ) εἴπερ . . . . . αν ὑφέλοιτο πεντακόσια κλυ 18 letters

- τῶι νύκτωρ, τῶι . . . . . λης, τῶι διὰ κέρδος, τῶι ε 16 letters  
 ἀρ' οὐ διδάσκεις . . . [ . . . ] να γίγνεται ἀλλὰ κατὰ μέτρον τοῦ ἀδικήματος  
 10 letters  
 κλέψειεν περ[ι] τοῦτο [ἐπεν]ταπλασιάσθη, εἰ δὲ πλείονα εἰ 16 letters  
 γ(ὰρ) ἐπὶ προδ . . . δωι ερχε[ . . . . . ] . . . αν κ(αὶ) πλείονα κλέψειεν εὐχόμε-  
 [νο]ι 9 letters  
 10 νων προσιέμενος ο . . . . . ων ἔτυχεν, ὁ δ' ἐπὶ ὀλίγα παραγενόμενος . . . . .  
 περιεγενε . . . [ . . . . . ] ατ . . . . . νουμένου <sup>παρακαταθήκην</sup> [χρέος ἢ παρακαταθήκην] . . . . . ειν .  
 θ . . . ησας ην εὐμ . . . . . ἡδὺ γ(ὰρ) ὃ μέλλει κερδαίνειν δι . . . ηδ . . . . . ε  
 . . . νοπ .  
 ψυχῆς ἐστὶ τὸ εὐρισ[κό]μενον δηλονότι παρὰ τὸ ἕκαστα τὸ εἰς 12 letters  
 α ὁ λέ-  
 [γ]ων ἐλήλυθε [ . . . . . ] . . . ον . . . εἰανθε . . . ε . . . ισιν 26 letters  
 15 . . . εἰαστο ἐπιμε[ . . . . . ] . . . τει· εἰ δ' ἐπὶ πλείω τῶν ὀλίγων φωρείων . . . . . νος  
 [τι]μωρίαν δε . . [ . . . . . ] . . . της πενταπλάσι[ον] α τὰ φώρεια 14 letters  
 [ . . ] σα σαφῶς ἡμῖν [ . . . . . ] . . . ετησας· φέρε γ(ὰρ) μὴ εὐρίσκεισθαι τὰ φώρεια,  
 ἀλ[λὰ] . . . . .  
 [τὸ]ν κλέπτην πα[ . . . ? πεντα]πλάσιον καταθῆναι. κ(αὶ) μὴν 20 letters  
 . . . δηλονότι αν . [ . . . . . ] . . φυλάξει· φέρε γ(ὰρ) κ(αὶ) ἔχειν αὐτὸν 20 letters  
 20 . ὥσθαι πότερον οἱ . . [ . . . . . ] ν τότε . . . . . ην ἀπαιτεῖν δεῖται ωρ 14 letters  
 ὑφῆι-  
 [ρ]έθη· φέρε δὲ κ(αὶ) ἔχε[ιν αὐτ]ὸν ταῦτα οἶα ὑφείλετο· ἥττονα δεῖ . . .  
 16 letters πα  
 ρὰ γ(ὰρ) κ(αι)ρούς καὶ τὰ τιμή[ματα] τῶν εὐρισκομένων. πρ(ὸς) ποῖον οὖν  
 18 letters  
 . . . <sup>πότερον</sup> ἀρχων ἄλλο . . . . . ν αὐτὸς ὁ ἀπομωμοκῶς δ . . . αλεῖν 18 letters  
 . . ἄλλ' αὐ[τ]ὸς εἶδες . . . . . ε τοῖον τῶι πεπονθότι μ[ὴ] διδόντα 13 letters  
 διω  
 25 μενωι χει . . . . . εσ . . . . . τον, ὁ δὲ πλείω τιμήσεται ἀμφοτε 16 letters  
 [τ]ων <sup>κ(αι)</sup> ἢ ἀπὸ τῶν πε . . . . . α τὴν τιμωρίαν ὀρίζεις οἷ[ο]ν 20 letters  
 ἀπὸ τοῦ βυβλιδίου . . . . . . . . . . . κατὰ τὸ συμβόλαιον 20 letters  
 ροδου πότερον αὐτῆς τη . . . . . των κατὰ τὴν ὥνῃν. blank  
 18. Hardly πα[λιν], as a λ should be visible. 28. The remainder of the line after  
 ὥνῃν is blank. Possibly the speech ends here. The new line begins immediately beneath

- [[τ.....]] blank ἡ χωρητ..... ἀσαφές.....  
 30 τὸ καθο[...][...][...][...]. . . . . ὅτι ἀδύνατος ἡ τιμωρία τε 20 letters  
 [κλέ-]  
 πτης ..[...]. ἐπ[...]. . . . . ἀπὸ γ(ὰρ) τῶν σχημάτων τῶν ἐπιτ 20 letters  
 το.ων αξ[...].σ δυ..... μοιχοῦ μ(έν) εὐπορίαι, [κλ]έπτου δὲ κ(αὶ) αμ  
 20 letters  
 τον . . . . ν . . . ν ἀδικ..... αυ.ς πηροῦσθαι κ(αὶ) τὸν φυγάδα 20 letters  
 διδόναι οἱ . . . . νδεχ..... ον τοῦτο προ(οσ)έθηκας εἰ μὴ ε. . . . τε  
 . . . . δ.η ..[ύ]πομμε-  
 35 νέτω, οὐ μὴν δὲ ἀλλὰ κ(αὶ) . . ν . . . . . τοὺς κλέπτας αἰροῦντες 18 letters  
 εἰσελθεῖν μηδ..... δει προ(οσ)επιφωτίζειν αὐτοὺς ω.....  
 επ.....  
 α ἔνδον τῆς οἰκίας..... μηδὲν εἰ..... παρ' αὐτῶν ἀνα.....

## N[ΟΜΟΞ]

- ὁ ξενίας[...].ιο[.....].σθω  
 40 πρῶτον μ(έν)..... τεσ ἐπὶ τῷ τοὺς ἀδικούντας κολάζει[ν.....]νκ[  
 παρὰ τῶν συκοφαντησάντων λαμβάνειν  
 μόνον ἀπο..... [[κογ.....ς συν επισχ... ιαι κ(αὶ) ὅτι α... ν]] τῷ με.....  
 . . θ.[.....].

the last letter of ὡνήν. In the blank space of l. 29 the scribe began to write l. 30 but deleted the letters. But there is no symbol to mark the beginning of a new speech as at col. iii. 5 and the subject of ll. 30-37 still seems to be theft. The dividing symbol at l. 38, though similar to the symbol at col. iii. 5, no doubt simply introduces the law like the mark (of different shape) at col. iv. 19. 40. Perhaps [ὅσοι νόμους θέν]τες?

## Col. vi.

- καὶ τιμωρία ἐπακολουθεῖ, τῷ δὲ κατηγορουμένῳ εἰ μὴ ἀλῶ ε. 10 letters  
 μη ἐκ τοῦ ἐκείνου τετιμωρῆσθαι, οὗτος δὲ τὰ ἐναντία κ(αὶ) γ(ὰρ) τουτ  
 12 letters  
 σώζει· εἴη· ὁρᾶτε κ(αὶ) τοὺς μηδὲ ἐν κακουργήσαντας κολάζει τι 12 letters  
 ἀλοὺς φ . . λ . ν ὅ' μηδὲ τὴν ἀρχὴν αὐτὸν εἰδὼς ταῖς ἀληθείαις ξέν[ο]ν [ὄντα]  
 6 letters  
 5 ἀγωνίζεται ἔτι ὑπὲρ τοῦ (εἶναι) πολίτης τῷ μὴ ἐπίστασθαι, ὥστε οὐχ . ε .  
 12 letters  
 ἀλλὰ οἱ ἀναγράψαντες, ὁ δὲ τοῦτον κολασάμενος ἐκείνους ἀπολύει 10  
 letters  
 σαυτὸς τιγὸς ξίφος εἰς ἱερὸν μὴ ἐπιτρεπόντων νόμων οὐδεὶς αὐ 10 letters

- τα περὶ τοῦτο [. . .] . νεν τὸ ἀδίκημα, οὐ μὴν ἀπ' αὐτοῦ ἀλλὰ τὸν 8 letters  
κολά-]
- ζειν χρή· κ(αὶ) οὐ τὰ ἐξ αὐτοῦ ἐξενεχθέντα κολάζει τις ἀλλὰ τοὺς ἐσ 12  
letters
- 10 τὸν ἀνδροφόνον ἀπολύειν, τὸ δὲ ξίφος κολάζειν ὡς ἀδικοῦν οὐδ 12 letters  
τα ἀλλὰ τοὺς ἐνγράφαντας· οὐδεὶς γ(ὰρ) τοῦτο περὶ ὃ τις ἀδικεῖ τιμω-  
ρεῖται[ι ἀ]λλὰ  
τὸν τὴν ἀρχὴν περὶ τοῦτο σπεύσαντα. ἀλλὰ τοῦ τοῦτο παρανομ 12 letters  
σχεδὸν γ(ὰρ) κ(αὶ) ὁ ἐνγραφεὶς ἀλόγου τάξιν ἐπέχει τῷ βρέφος (εἶναι)  
κ. θ 12 letters
- ὅτι τὰ [ἐπι]τίμια κατὰ τοὺς τρόπους τάσσεται[ι.] αθε. . . . . ωσαφ 14 letters
- 15 τὴν ἀρ[χή]ν τι ἀμαρτεῖν τῷ ἐπιόντι φη 28 letters  
τα ὡς ἔαν φθάσῃ τις δρᾶσαι ὀργίζεσθαι . . . . . ἡ ἀναιρεῖ 18 letters  
ἔσται το[ῖς] ἄλλοις ὁρῶσιν πλησίον τοὺς τιμ . . . . . δεινον . . . ο 14 letters  
πειν-
- ταπλάσιον τοῦ φωρείου ἐκτίνειν εἰδὼς . . . . . πορεύ[ε]ται 16 letters  
καὶ ἐκ μ(έν) τούτου σώζεται ἡ τάξις κατασ 28 letters
- 20 καὶ γ(ὰρ) ἐνῆν φυλάξασθαι μὴ φυλαξαμεν . . . . . ευ. 22 letters  
ὁρῶσιν ἀποτροπὴ πρὸς τὸ μὴ κακουργεῖν 28 letters  
θηκ[ε]ν κ(αὶ) οὗτος ὑποχο[ς] δίκημ ἐπ' αὐτῷ 30 letters  
καὶ ἐπὶ ἀνδροφόνου. καὶ ἐπὶ μ(έν) τοῦ ἀνδροφόνου 28 letters  
κ(αὶ)
- σῃ . . . . . τόπον τοὺς μὲν κατ' ἀγνοιάν τι π 30 letters
- 25 οὐντας ἔπραξεν τούτους κ(αὶ) κεκολάσθαι . . . . . εἰ κ(αὶ) 20 letters  
αὐτοὺς τοὺς καὶ ἀρξαμένους κ(αὶ) το . . . . . ων 30 letters  
τὴν εὐθυναν ἐγείσαν τὰς ἀτιμ[ίας] 30 letters  
ταῖνται πρῶτον ὑπὲρ τῆς εὐθρίας 30 letters  
. . . . . τι κολάζονται. τούτου γ(ὰρ) π 34 letters
- 30 γραφὴν, ὡσπερανεὶ αὐτοὶ πρ(ὸς) ἴδια . . . . . φ 27 letters δια-]  
μονὴν γένους κ(αὶ) τοῦ ὀνόματος κ(αὶ) κληρὸν . . . . . σ. θν . . . . . ελλω 9 letters  
σιν ἄχθεσθαι τούτου πεπονθότος ἔπειτα ε . . . . . ουνειοξοντ 12 letters  
οὐ μέντοι γε τὴν ἴσην ὑπομενοῦντι . . . . . ολλην ε . . . . . την 12 letters  
τῆς τιμωρίας ἐμποιῆσαι οὐδ' {οὐδ' } ἐς τοῦτο . . . . . εσα . . . . . ως 12 letters
- 35 ἡχθέσθησαν, ὁ δ' ἐπράθη, ἄλλως τε . . . . . με . . . . . να ὑπομειναν[τ] 10 letters

17. Perhaps τιμ[ωροὺς μὴ]δέν.

δειςοι. ἀπὸ γ(ὰρ) ἐκείνου οὗτοι τιμωροῦνται . . . εἰς . . . . . στου . . . . .  
κακουρ-]

γήσαντας ἐκ τῶν μηδὲ ἐν ἀδικησάντων ὥς 20 letters

τα [[ἔχειν]] ἔχειν τὴν ἀρχὴν τῆς κολάσεως τοὺς δέοντας [τ]ῆ δίκ(αι)ον 7 letters

καὶ οὗτος ἐνέπεσεν τούτους δευτέρους οὐδὲ τῇ τιμωρίαι 15 letters

Col. vii.

ἀλλ' ὅνπερ τρόπον τοῖς προδόταις [τιμωροῦ]νται οἱ παῖδες, οὐχ ὅτι αὐτοὶ ἐπι-  
τήδαιοι κολάζεσθαι ἀλλ' ἵνα . . . . . να ἀναδέξωνται τὴν τιμω-  
ρίαν καὶ διὰ παιδῶν ἀνα . εῶσ . σο . . . . . εἰ βούλου 'κολάζειν' τοὺς μηδὲ

<sup>ἀδικήσαντας</sup>  
ἐν . . . . ε

ἐκείνους' τοὺς ἀρξαμένους χρη . . οσ . . . . ην, ἵνα σοι καὶ προδότου  
ἀλη . . . .

5 ἴσην ταύτης ξενίας α . . εἰ . . . . . εἰδη δὲ συνη . . ὦ . . . ὦ .  
<sup>.. σίως ποιῆς</sup>

αὐτῶν . . πρόσκειται οὗτος ἐν τῷ . . . . . εἰ μὲν οὐδὲ {οὐδὲ} τὴν ἀρχὴν

[σ]υναίσθονται· συναισθημένων δὲ οὐ . . . . . σας πλείονα κ . . .

. . μενεῖ ουδεῖ . . . . . θμησαν των τ . . . . . αν

. . της . . . . . νες ἐξεπερος . . . . . ετα διὰ τοὺς ἀ . . . . . ἐπι

10 . . πῶς οὐ προφανῶς ἐν πρ . . τητ . . . . . ε, εἰ κ(αὶ) ορ . . αἰς τουτ . . υἱ . .

δεῖ ἐπὶ πάντων ἐπεὶ καὶ σύ με πει . . . . . οὔτο παθη . . . . . ται κ(αὶ) . . ριῖ

στοις ἐκτιθείσι κ(αὶ) ἀνειλημμένοις . . . . . ἐνγραφῆσι μετὰ τὸ ἀλῶναι

οὐκ (ἔστιν) ἀφορμὴ πρ(ὸς) τὸ σωθῆναι· οὐ γ(ὰρ) εἰ εἰ . . ερ . . πόλεως . . ται,

ἀλλ' εἰ φ[η-]

σῖν τούτων τῶν ἀναγραφάντων . . ου . . σ . ραθη . εσ . . τα . αεν . .

15 εἰς ὑπάρχων κ(αὶ) προγόνων ἄλλων ε . . ομ . . . . ε ἀλλ' οὗτος ἐπιγνωσθεὶς

ἀναληφθεῖσεται. πρῶτον μ(έν) γ(ὰρ) οὐδ . . . . . σεται· παρὰ (γὰρ) τῶν

εἰσψαν-

των ὁ νόμος εἴρηκεν ἀναλαμ[β]άνεσθαι, οὐκέτι μ(έν)τοι γε παρὰ τῶν

ὠνησαμένων. ἀλλ' εἰ κ(αὶ) . . . . . των μετὰ ὕβρεως μετὰ ἀτιμίας.

τὰ γ(ὰρ) δημόσ[ι]α ἐπιτίμια ἀναῆσθε . α . . [ . τ]ρόπον . . φυγ . . ἀναληφθεὶς

20 οὐκ ἀφεθήσεται τῆς φυγῆς ὥς ἀτιμο[s] ἀλλὰ ἐν . . . . . ατιμο-

The remaining 18 lines of this column are almost undecipherable.

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κ(αὶ) μήτηρ

9. Hardly ἐξέπεσε.

16. 1. ἀναληφθήσεται? But the reading is far from certain.

1. εἰς(γρα)ψάντων? The reading in the text is all but certain.

## Col. viii.

- ἡ θρέψασα πάρ]εστιν ἔστιν κ(αὶ) πατὴρ ὁ ἀναγράψα[ς κ]αὶ τινες τῶ[ν]  
 συν ρ . . α 9 letters  
 κ(αὶ) ὁμήλικες, ἄνδρες δικασταί, ἐγὼ μ(έν) ὑμῖν πολλὰ . . ε 15 letters  
 . . . μεν . . κ(αὶ) ἀνένκλητος μέχρι νῦν τὸν βίον διεξῆλθον, μὴ με περιίδητε  
 τ[ὸν]  
 [μη]δὲ νῦν [[κ(αὶ)]] αἰσθ[ό]μενον εἰ [[.]] καὶ ξένος ὑπάρχω', μὴ τ[ὸ]ν οὕτως  
 ἡ[νε]γμένον κ(αὶ) ἐξήκου[τα]  
 5 [μηδ]ὲ δημηγορήσαντα κ(αὶ) τὰ ἄριστα ὑμῖν συμβουλευσάντα ὥς δουλείαν  
 . . . το  
 [. .]νον ἑάσῃ[τ]ε· ὑπὲρ τῆς ἑαυτῶν ἐπιτιμίας βοηθήσατε κ[. .]τωσῇ[. . .] κατερα  
 . . μ . . . τοὺς δικαστὰς ἐξήμβλυνεν ὥς μὴ ὀρμήσαι ἐπὶ τῇ[ν τ]ιμωρίαν· τὸ  
 μ(έν) μέ-  
 γεθος τῆς τιμωρίας ὥς <sup>δόλον</sup> [[μέγεθος]] ἐν[γε]νηῆσαι κ(αὶ) βραδύτη[τ]α, τὸ δ[έ]  
 6 letters  
 . . . . .] . ατος εἰς ἔλεον ἀγαγεῖν. καὶ εἰώθεσαν τοῖς κινδυνεύ[ου]σιν [. .]  
 10 . . . τ . . [β]οηθεῖν ὥς κ(αὶ) ἴσων ἐνεχθειςῶ[ν τ]ῶν ψήφων ἀπαλλάττε[ιν] τοῦ  
 σ . . λ . . μενον· παρὰ γοῦν κ(αὶ) Λακεδαιμονίοις οἱ περισσώτερες ἔξωθεν  
 [τ]ῶι κιν-  
 δυνεύ[ου]ντι ψήφους βάλλουσιν. οὕτως πᾶν τὸ ἐν μείζονι κινδύνῳ κ[αθ]εστὸς  
 βο[ήθ]ειαν τῶι κρινομένῳ πάντοτε παρέχεται κατ' ἔλεον τῶν ἀκουόντων κ(αὶ)  
 φι[λ]ανθρωπίαν, ἄλλως τε εἰ κ(αὶ) δοῦλος ἀλώιῃ τὴν αὐτὴν ταχθεὶς τιμωρίαν  
 15 [. . . . .] . ον τ[ὸ] ἀδίκημα· οἱ μ(έν) γ(άρ) ἀπ' ἐλευθερίας κ(αὶ) ἴσως εὐγενῶν  
 προγόνων,  
 [ὁ δ'] ἀπὸ ἐλαχίστης κ(αὶ) ἐπον(ε)ιδίστο[ν] τύχης κ(αὶ) ἐνυβρίσας ἡμῶν τὴν  
 πολιτείαν  
 [κ(αὶ)] τῶι χρόνῳ ἐναπολαύσας οὐ μόνον τοῖς ἐλευθέρων δικ(αί)οις ἀλλὰ  
 κ(αὶ) τοῖς  
 [τῆς] δημοκρατίας κ(αὶ) τοῖς ἀπὸ τῶν νόμ[ων]. οὗτος οὖν ἀλοὺς κρ . . ησ  
 [. .] . κρ . .

1. Not τινες τῶ[ν] συγγενῶν. 5. ὥς: not εἰς apparently. 7. ἐξήμβλυνεν: Hunt.  
 11. Neither κρινόμενον nor δικαζόμενον seems possible, though that must be the sense. The  
 statement that follows about the Lacedaemonians appears to be new.

[...]μον τοῦ σχήματος οὐτ' ἦν ὡς τ[ε]τιμώρηται οὗτος 12 letters  
 20 τ[...]σανιγορ. ν πρ(ὸς) τὸ χαλεπόν· εἰς γ(ὰρ) τὴν αὐτὴν τάξιν τοῦ [σ]χήμα-  
 τος χωρεῖ.

## ΝΟΜΟΣ

ὁ . . . . νσάμενος πολίτην ἐπὶ τῆς . . . . ουμ. οντα ἄτιμος ἔστω.  
 . . . . . [ο]ὔδεις ἐπ' εὐεργέτημα . . . ατει . . . . . οὐδὲ νόμον . . . .  
 πᾶν γ(ὰρ) . . . αξ . . . . .  
 . . . . σερι, εὐεργεσίαν δὲ χωροῦν πλείονος [...] ἄξιον τόδε εἰ ἀνάγ-  
 κης κ[αὶ] νόμου ἐν . .  
 25 δῆς παρὰ μητρ[ὸς] μὴ δοκεῖν χάριτα ἐνδέξασθ[αι] μηδ[ὲ] ἐν ἀμοιβῆς μέρει  
 λαμβά[νε]σθαι· ὅν·  
 [φύ]σσει γ(ὰρ) οὐ γέγονεν ἀλλὰ νόμου ἀνάγκη, ὁ δὲ οὐκ ἀρκεσθεῖς τῶι κατὰ  
 βίαν, ἐπὶ κ[αὶ] τιμω[ρία]ν ἐπ(ε)ίσθη  
 [...] ναί τιςιν. ὕ[π]ερ γ(ὰρ) τῆς πόλεως τοῦτο πράττεται πω . . . . οὐκ  
 ειτ . . νι ἐκάστωι ἐπακολουθεῖ  
 [...] εἰς τὴν πόλιν ἀναπέμπεται· τὰ γ(ὰρ) κο[ινῇ] συμφέροντα κοινῇ  
 ὁ[φ]εῖλει φροντίζεσθαι, τὰ  
 [δὲ] ἰδιά τινα καθ' αὐτὰ πρ(ο)σ[ή]κει ἐλέγχεσθαι. οὐδὲ γ(ὰρ) ὑβ[ρι]σθέντος  
 τινὸς [ἢ] πόλις πέπο[ν]θεν οὐδὲ  
 30 [...] ευθέντος οὐδὲ μοιχευθέντος οὐδὲ χρ . . . . ηθέντος οὐδ' ἄλλως πως  
 ἀδικηθέντος  
 [ἀλλὰ] ἕκαστος τῆς εἰς ἑαυτὸν γενομ[έ]νης πλημμελείας ὑποχος καθέστηκεν,  
 ὡ[ς] κ[αὶ] τιμωρί-  
 α[ν] αὐτὸς βούλεται εἰσπράξασθαι· κ[αὶ] γ(ὰρ) μὴ β[ο]υ[λ]ομένου τοῦ  
 πάσχοντος κρίνειν τὸν κακῶς ποιήσαντα  
 ἢ [πόλι]ς οὐ βιάζεται τιμωρ(ε)ῖσθαι ὡς αὐτὴ πεπονθυῖα, ἀλλ' εἰς α]ὐτὸν  
 τὸν πλημμελήσαντα κεχώ-  
 ρη[κ]εν τὸ τοῦ ἀδικήματος μέγεθος, τὸ δὲ βουλευθὲν τῆς πόλεως πρ(ὸς) τὴν  
 κόλασιν ἀνακόπτεται  
 35 . . [...] αξει τῇ μὴ ἐνδεξαμένη τὸ ταύτην δοκεῖν πεπονθῆναι ἄνευ τ[ρο]φῆς  
 κ[αὶ] τοῦ ἐπῆρθαι  
 τ[.] . . . . κ[αὶ] τὸν λιμώσσοντα οὐκ (ἔστιν)· ἐκεῖθεν γ(ὰρ) δεδήλωται ὡς  
 οὐ κοινῇ μέλει ὑπὲρ [το]ύτων ἐκ

21. At this point the writer took a thinner pen.

- τ[...]. τούτου κελεύοντος τὸν παῖδα τρέφειν ἐπάναγκες τὸν γεγεννηκότα  
ὥς μηδὲ..  
[...]. ἐνταῦθα οὐ ξένον κελεύει οὐ[τ]ε τὸν μὴ εὐεργετήσαντα ἀλλὰ τὸν  
πατέρα τοῦ παιδὸς  
[...]. νεσ... ἀνατροφή καὶ αὐτοτο[...].ν καὶ πολειτεία κ(αὶ) τὸ τρέφειν  
ὥστε κ(αὶ) τουταρδιατο πρ[...].  
40. [...]. τοσοῦτον ἀπέσχηκας τοῦ πρότερον ὑποθεῖναι τὸ ἀντεuer-  
γέμητα ὥς ἀ[τ].  
[...]. δε]δωκέναι τοῖς βουλομένοις τὴν γνώμην τοῦ εὖ ποιεῖν.

40. 1. ἀντεueργέτημα.

## Col. ix.

- [...]. λω[...]. οὐδὲ [α]ὕτῃ ἢ πόλ[ις θαν]μάζεται τι [...]. [ 21 letters ]ουσα  
[ἀλ]λὰ ἢ ἐκάστου γνώμη [...]. [ 21 letters ] . ν  
ου τιμὴν κ(αὶ) ἀμοιβὴν εἴλκ[υσα]ι ἀνθ' ᾧν παρα[...]. [ 21 letters ] αὐ-  
τῇ βιασαμένην τινὰ περ[ιπο]ιῆσαι εὐεργεσίαν ο.. [ 21 letters ] . ως  
5 ὁ διὰ ταύτης ιδιώτην [ὠ]φελεῖν βουλόμενος .. [ 20 letters ] . αι  
τοῦργ[ο]ν· το[ῦ]το γ(άρ) [...]. εὐεργεσία καθέστηκεν ἀλ[ 20 letters ] . ης  
γ(άρ) τούτων οὐδὲ [...]. ἀξεσθαι δύναται ἐκείνο[ 20 letters ] ου  
[τ]ρόπος ὀφλημὰτ[ων]....]εται τοδ' οὖν ἢ χρήματα [ 20 letters ] ντης  
ἢ κ(αὶ) τυραννοκτ[ονῆ]σαι· ταῦτα γ(άρ) μὴ ἐξ ἀνάγκης [ 20 letters ] . ν  
10 κ(αὶ) ἐκούσιον γν[...]. [ 20 letters ] . ετι κ(αὶ) τετίμηται· οὐ γ(άρ) ἀρκεῖ... [ 20 letters ] .....  
.....]. α...ν ἔτι  
κ[(αὶ)] ἀμοιβὴν ᾧν [.....]οιου ν[ό]μος τιμὴν ἐχαρίσατο [.....]  
..ν πολ...  
τὸ πρ(ὸς) ἕνα ἕκαστο[ν] οὐ κατὰ σύμπτωσιν γινόμενον ἀλλὰ ἐνε[...].  
..]. α κατὰ σχήμα  
τῷ κ(αὶ) τὸν ὑβρισθέντα ἔχειν ἐξουσίαν κ(αὶ) τότε ἄλλοτε ἀνιω[.....].  
..ἀδυνά-  
[τ]ου οὔσης τῆς πόλεως εἰσπράξασθαι δίκην τῷ μὴ αὐτὴν ὑβ[ρι].....]ον  
α...νλη  
15 μέλει ὑπὲρ τοῦ πρ(ὸς) ἕνα ἕκαστον ιδιώτην τῷ κ(αὶ) μηδὲ...ρ...[...].τ[...]  
..δ...θαι μὴ  
λιμῶ[σσ]οντα ἐπι[...]. αι δὲ παισὶ τούτους τρέφειν ἐξ' ὅν[...]. δ...  
ωνι τὸ μὴ

- κοινῇι[.]. ντων τ[. . . .] τ[. . .] ποιέισθαι. εὐρίσκονται δὲ . . ντ[. . .]δε[. . .]  
 .. εὐεργε-  
 τηθέντες, ὥστε[. . . .] τῶ[ν π]αιδῶν τρόπον ἀμοιβή . . . . .[. . .]ο[. . .] αὐ[τῇι  
 τῇι  
 πόλει ἐστὶν ἐξ οὗ[. . .]αυ[. . . . .]. εὐεργετῆσθαι τῶ[ 10  
 letters ] . σθαι  
 20 τὸ δὲ καταλ[. . . . .] . η[. . . . .] τ[ο]ῦ ἀριστεύ[ς 16 letters ] ἐκ τοῦ  
 χ[ρή]ματα δ[. . . . .] . αλλων . μη[ 14 letters ]διο . . . . .[. . .]ς ἐ-  
 πακολουθεῖ[. . . . .] .. ἐπὶ τοῦτωι νομοθε[τ]ῶν ἐμβροδ' ὑπητος εἶ[ οὕτως]  
 ὥστε κ(αὶ)  
 κατ' αὐτῶν τοῦ[. . .]ερων τὸν νόμον γράφεις τὰ προ(ο)ταχ[θέ]ντα ἐκ τῆς  
 ἀνάγκης  
 τοῦτο προ(ο)τέ[τακτ]αί οὐδὲ ἀμοιβή (ἐστι) τῶι εὐεργ[ε]τήσαντι ἐκὼν τίσα[ς]  
 ἀγνοεῖται κ(αὶ)  
 25 βουλομει[. . . . .]ο[ὐ]κ ἀμει . οἱ τι οὐδε [ἐ]ντυγχάνει . ἀλλ[ὰ] . . . . .  
 γ(ὰρ) ὥς  
 ὑπ' ἀνάγκης[. . . . .]ο[ὐ] μὴν ἀλλὰ εἰ δρ . . . . . εἴ τις . . . [ 14 letters  
 ]ου νό-  
 μον ἀναγκ[. . . . .] νομοθέτου φιλαν[θρ]ωπία οὕτως [ 10 letters  
 ] . μος  
 κ(αὶ) ἀχα . . . [ε] . . . . .]τον ποῖον καθετ . ν[. . .]δουσιν . . . [ 10 letters  
 ]υσιν  
 διὰ τοῦτ . [ . τι]μωρίας οὐκ εἰδὼς ὅτι πολλαὶ ὁδ[οὶ] εἰς τὸ μὴ ὑπο[  
 12 letters  
 30 ὁ μ(έν) (γὰρ) οὐ[. . .]σάλν . . τεφ . . . ἀμενος, ὁ δὲ κ(αὶ) σ[υν]τυχῶν ἀρν . .  
 [ 12 letters  
 συνθ[. . . . .] . (εἰσιν) ἐκ[. . .]εἰ τις ἥξει οὐ ποιήσει ἀλλ[. . .]τῆς πόλεω[ς 14  
 letters  
 μαθ . . . [ . . . ] μ(έν) οὐκ [ . . . ]ταται ἔπειτα κ(αὶ) ἀλώσεται . [π]άντα γ(ὰρ)  
 τὸν εἶν[ 12 letters  
 σθαι κ . . . [ . . . ]αυτ[. . .]η . ν . . α[. . .]να [ . ]ων κρατ[. . .] . . φέρε δὲ [ . . . . . ] .  
 το [μ]ή-

22. οὕτως: suppl. Cr. 23. κα of κατ' written in the margin. 25. Not ἀμείβει apparently. If [ἐ]ντυγχάνει is right the first ν was very broad or there was a space between it and τ.

τε στυ[. . .]α εαυ[.] κρ. τ. ., [ἀλ]λὰ κ(αὶ) ἐντυχόντ[. . .]ῃ αὐτᾶσθαι λῆ[. . .]  
 . .]νεῖν ὁ  
 35 θαλε[.] . . .]την ἡ[.] . νται τ[ὸ]ν παθόντα ἀρνεῖσθαι δέ τις ἐλέγχ[εται, ἀρ-  
 κ]εῖ προ(ὸς) τὴν  
 κατ' [αὐτῶν τ]ῶν κα[τηγ]ορουμένων πίστιν τὸ μόνον εἰπεῖν εἰς . . .  
 . . .] . s προ(οσ)ελ-  
 θῶν [. . . . .]εῖ τῇ[ν κατ]ηγορίαν. οὐδὲ γ(ὰρ) αὐτὰ τὰ ἐν τῇ ἰδία πόλει . .  
 [. . . . .]αρι. ἐ-  
 λεγχ[. . . . .] κ(αὶ) ο[.] . . . ορ. εἰ συκοφάντου δίκ(ην) ὑπομένει. ὁπότε οὖν  
 ἐν ταῖς π[ό]λεσιν  
 ἢ ἀρχ[ῇ] . . .] φα . . .] αὐ ἐνδεξαμένους βεβαίωτα[ι] καθεστηκ[. . . . .]  
 λοντα  
 40 ἐπὶ τῷ[. . . . .] ἀκυρότερα νομισθήσεται. οὐδὲ γ(ὰρ) ὁ δικαζόμενος [. . . . .]  
 ἔλεγχ[ον] ἐποί-  
 ησεν τὸ[ν] . . .] λούμενον εἰς μὴ κ(αὶ) προ(ὸς) τῷ κατηγορῆσαι ἢ ἀλήθεια . .  
 . . . . μαρ]τυρί-  
 αν τὸν . . .] . ευθισομένων ἔλεγχον λάβη, οὐδέ γ' ἐπὶ τ[ 12 letters ] s  
 34. Corr. to αὐδᾶσθαι. 36. κατ' [αὐτῶν : Crönert. 39. s of ἐνδεξαμένους corr. from α.

Col. x.

Several disconnected fragments.

## 139. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 884. Second century. Acquired in 1901. 12 cm. x 11 cm.  
 Fragment containing the upper parts of the two final columns of a speech.  
 Width of column 5.3 cm. The last column is followed by the subscription  
 ὑπὲρ [τ]οῦ μὴ παραχω[ρ]εῖν Ἀλ[ε]ξάνδρ[ω]ι τῆς ἡ[γε]μο[ν]ίας. Written along the fibres.  
 Medium-sized informal uncial hand. One line-filling sign. At the end is a  
 coronis with diple. The restoration of col. i and some of the readings are due to  
 Crönert. Oldfather 925.

Rhetorical exercise.

Col. i.

] αὐτοῦ ἐποιεῖτε ὁ-  
 [τι δ]ηλονότι καὶ τούτοις  
 [εἰ]ς ξουσία ἥι ηπεσο

Col. ii.

φυλάττωμεν εἰς δέ τ[ι]  
 15 ἡμᾶς κωλύει ἄγειν τὴν  
 εἰρήνην ἀμυνώμεθα]

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| ]ε ὑμῖν μέντοι ᾗ      | πάντα μάλλον [ἢ δουλ]εῦ- |
| 5 [ἂν βο]υλεῦσθε, το[ | ειν προαιρο[ύ]μενο[ι].   |
| ]ν τούτου ποιη-       | ο. 10 νο(100)            |
| ] ἥ γὰρ ἂν καὶ δεινὸν |                          |
| [εἴη Μα]κεδονίαι μὲν  |                          |
| ] . ἐκ τοῦ παν-       |                          |
| 10 ] . . . . . αι     |                          |
| ]δο                   | 20                       |
| ] . το                |                          |
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6. MS. ποιη&gt;.

8. Last ι a later insertion.

## 140. UNKNOWN.

## Plate VIII.

Inv. No. 1546 A. Late second century. Acquired in 1906. 10 cm. x 11 cm. Parts of three columns all imperfect at the foot and col. iii at the top. Written along the fibres. Small neat uncial hand. Stops marked by paragraphus and space in the line. In the margin opposite l. 22 is a χ and opposite l. 25 another sign. The line-filling angular sign is used at the end of the line. Oldfather 921.

Oration in a case of ἀποκήρυξις.

| Col. i.        | Col. ii.                                       | Col. iii. |
|----------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| ] . ὥς γὰρ σω- | ἐν μέρει περὶ ἐκατέρου χωρὶς λεχθέν[τα]        |           |
| ]ν ἀφήρηται    | ἐπὶ τέλει δὲ οὐδὲν κωλύοι (ἐν) ἀλλήλοις τ[αὐ-] |           |
| ]αιον ἀλλὰ καὶ | τ' ἐξετάζειν αὐτούς· ἐπεὶ δὲ ὁ μὲν ἀπ[ο-]      |           |
| ὄ]ταν γε εἰδὼς | κήρυκτός ἐστιν ὁ δὲ ἀποκηρύ[σσει],             |           |
| 5 ]αν ἀγνοῶν   | 20 λέγωμεν περὶ τούτου· πρὸ[ς τὸν] πατέ[ρα]    |           |
| ] σύ γε παρὰ   | μὲν οὐ δεῖ νόμον ὃς κελεύ[ει] τ[οῖς] υἱ[νοῖς]  |           |

17, (ἐν): Crönert. 18 f. ἀποκήρυκτος: cf. Pollux, *Onomasticon* iv. 93 τὸ μέντοι ὄνομα ὁ ἀποκήρυκτος οὐκ ἐστὶν ἐν χρήσει τῇ παλαιᾷ· Θεόπομπος δ' αὐτῷ κέχρηται ὁ συγγραφεὺς ἀλλ' οὐδ' ἐν Θεοπόμπῳ σταθμητὸν εἰς ἐρμηνείας κρίσιν. On the institution of apokeryxis see E. Cuq, 'Un nouveau document sur l'apokéryxis', in *Mém. Acad. Inscr. et B.-L.* xxxix. 181-239, and P. S. Photiadhis, 'H' Ἀποκήρυξις ἐν τῷ Ἀρχαίῳ Ἑλληνικῷ Δικαίῳ, 1925. 21. 1. νόμου (Cr.) δεῖ is palaeographically very dubious, but the choice of readings is limited. Perhaps really δη, miswritten for δεῖ.

γέγονεν· εἰς χ ταῦτα εἶναι δίκαια πρὸς τοὺς πάππ[ους]  
 ἀγνοῆσαι ἱερεῖ ἃ τοῖς πα[ι]σὶ πρὸς τοὺς πατέρας ἐστίν. πρ[ω-] . . .  
 ] . τον ἂν κατ' ἀμφιβολίαν γένοιτο ζητή- σθ[  
 10 ]πείσας μὲν ἐν 25 3 ματα πότερον ἑαυτῶι τινὶ πρὸς τὸ[ν] λα[  
 ]ν ἑαυτοῦ καὶ αὐτοῦ πατέρα δίκαιά ἐστιν ταῦτα <ᾶ> κα[ι] . . [  
 ] ἀπρικοῦν πρὸς τὸν πάππον ἔχειν οἴεται δεῖν α[ὐ-] τουπ[  
 ]βιασαμε- τὸν ὁ νόμος, ἧ ἃ τῶι αὐτοῦ πατ[ρ]ι πρὸς 35 εἰω[  
 ] [πείσας] τὸν ἐκείνου πατέρα· [ . . . . . ] τοῦ . [  
 15 ]πειν 30 ἀ[πο]κηρύκτου πα[ιδὸς] . . .

8. ἱερεῖ. 12. ἀπρικοῦν: Cr. 14. πείσας deleted by dots above it. 26. <ᾶ>: Cr.

## 141. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1605 A (verso). Third century. (On the recto, mostly blank, parts of the last eight lines of a document in a minute cursive hand). Acquired in 1906. 19.3 cm. x 3 cm. Strip containing part of thirty-four lines. Written across the fibres. Cursive hand, much obliterated. One accent, two elision marks.

Encomium (?).

Lines 1-14 mostly illegible.

15 ] ἡμῶν ν . θ[  
 ] . . . . . φεισο[  
 ] . . . . . [  
 ] . . . . . ουμ[  
 ] . . . . . αι[  
 20 ] . νόμεθα ἀλλ' [  
 ] ἐπαινούμεθα [  
 ] σθμοῖς ἵππετο[  
 ] ις θαυμάζων [  
 φ]υλαξόμεθα [  
 25 δεικ]νύμεθα συν[  
 ] ση πον . ε . ρ[  
 δ]είκνυται του[  
 ] ν τὸ πέρασ ἀμ[

20. MS. ἀλλ'. MS. οἷς. 1. probably εἵπετο; or ]σθμοῖσι πετο[(Cr.), which would point to a very early writer. The σ is almost certain; ν seems impossible.

]. περὶ τῆς πόλε[ως  
 30 ] τὸ ἐνκώμι[ον  
 ] . . του χαίρ[ειν  
 ] μείζω . ν[  
 ]ῆ ψυχὴ οὐκ . [  
 ]τον περι[  
 29. Or πολ[ε]ιτίας (Cr.). 33. MS. οὐκ'.

## 142. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1605 C. Second century. Acquired in 1906. 5.2 cm. x 2.1 cm. Small scrap with part of ten lines. Written along the fibres. Round medium-sized uncial hand.

Oration in a murder case (?), but other explanations are possible.

τ]οῦ φό[νον] ?  
 ? πρ]ῶτον λι[  
 ]ντορος κα[  
 ] εἰς ὑποτ . [  
 5 ] . μισητοῦ [  
 κ]ατὰ τοῦ φο[νέως] ?  
 γ]εννήσας [  
 ]ς παράγει [  
 ἀ]σμένως [  
 10 ] τίθεται [  
 ]

2. λι, perhaps μ. 3. Probably ν before τορος. Cr. suggests Μέ]ντορος, which may point to a mythological treatise; cf. ll. 1, 6, where Φο[ίνικος] could be restored.

143. CICERO, *Orations*.

Inv. No. 2057. Fifth century. Acquired in 1914. Four considerable fragments (largest 28.7 cm. x 22.4 cm.) with six smaller from a papyrus codex. Original height of the page about 30 cm., breadth about 23 cm. Width of column about 17 cm. There is considerable variation in the length of line. Written in ink of brown colour. Small upright half-uncial with some cursive tendency. P. Oxy. viii. 1097 (with plate) and x. 1251.

*De Imp. Cn. Pompei* 60-65, 70, 71; *In Verrem* II. i. 1-4, ii. 3, 12; *Pro Caelio* 26-55.

## 3. PHILOSOPHY

144. PLATO, *Laches*.

Inv. No. 187 (verso). (On the recto is No. 114.) Second to third century. Acquired in 1891. 11.7 cm. x 11.2 cm. (the larger of the two fragments). Remains of three columns, very fragmentary and illegible. Unpublished. Written across the fibres. Medium-sized rough uncial hand. Haeblerlin 72; Oldfather 997.

*Laches* 181 B-182 A.

145. PLATO, *Phaedo*.

Inv. No. 488. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. Height of roll 21.5 cm. Remains of 18 columns of twenty-two lines. Dimensions of column 14.5 cm. x 7 cm. Top margin 3 cm., bottom margin 4 cm. Written along the fibres. Small neat uncial of early character (epsilon several times of the square capital form). P. Petr. i. 5-8, with plates; Haeblerlin 74; Oldfather 990. The latest detailed estimate of the text (which differs widely from the MS. tradition) is by E. Korkisch 'De papyri qua Phaetonis Platonici partes quaedam continentur fide et auctoritate' in *Dissertationes Philolog. Vindob.* ix (1910), pp. 1-117, where the value of the text is maintained as against Usener's depreciation in *Göttingische Nachrichten*, 1892, pp. 25-50, 181-215. See also G. Coppola, 'Appunti intorno ai papiri di Platone' in *Aegyptus*, v (1924), pp. 213-219.

*Phaedo* 67 D-69 A, 79 B-81 D, 82 A-84 B.

146. PLATO, *Phaedo*.

Inv. No. 786. Second century. Acquired in 1900. 17 cm. x 4.9 cm. Thirty lines, of which the beginnings are lost, from the top of a column. Top margin 4.5 cm. Written along the fibres. Small round rather cramped uncial hand. Breathings and accents are rare. A mark of quantity occurs in l. 8. Longer pauses are marked by the double point, shorter by the high point. The text exhibits no variation from the MSS. In the top margin is a cursive note. P. Oxy. ii. 229; *Archiv* i, p. 522; Oldfather 992.

*Phaedo* 109 C, D.

147. PLATO, *Phaedrus*.

Inv. No. 2048. Second to third century. Acquired in 1914. Height of roll 27.5 cm. Columns 24 cm. x 6.5 cm. Thirty-three to thirty-five lines to the column. Fragments of 24 columns with a gap of 11 columns after col. vii. Written along the fibres. Handsome well-spaced oval uncial hand, slightly inclined to the right and rather above medium size. A few accents, breathings, and marks of elision occur, mainly, if not entirely, due to the second hand which has made certain corrections and inserted a number of alternative readings. Paragraphi combined with double dots mark change of speaker. A coronis at xxi. 29 marks the end of a section. Stops in three positions are used for punctuation. The text is accurate and good. P. Oxy. vii. 1017, with plate; Oldfather 996. See also G. Coppola, *art. cit.* p. 224 f.

*Phaedrus* 238 C-240 D, 245 A-251 B.

## 148. AESCHINES SOCRATICUS.

Inv. No. 2469. Late second century. Acquired in 1922. Fr. 4, 16 cm. x 9.8 cm. Nineteen fragments. No column complete. Width of column 6 cm. with line of 16-20 letters. Written along the fibres. Good-sized elegant uncial hand of the sloping oval type. High and low point are employed, changes of speaker indicated by double dots with or without paragraphus, *ι* adscript is generally written, initial *ι* and *υ* have occasional diaereses. P. Oxy. xiii. 1608, with plate; *Archiv* vii, p. 155; Oldfather 11. See also K. Fr. W. Schmidt, *Gött. Gel. Anz.* 1922, p. 95 (whose *ἡκοντος*, l. 41, is correct); P. Collart, *Rev. de Phil.* xliii (1919), pp. 55-57.

*Alcibiades*.

149. XENOPHON, *Memorabilia*.

Inv. No. 695 B. Third or fourth century. Acquired in 1896. 17.5 cm. x 9 cm. Portions of two columns. Margin at top 5.7 cm. Written along the fibres. (The margin at the top as well as the verso is filled with what seems to be a letter, perhaps concerning the funeral of a person named Apis, less likely, as Grenfell and Hunt, of an Apis bull.) Sloping fair-sized uncial hand. P. Grenf. ii. 13; Haeblerlin 70; Oldfather 1154. A corrected transcript is given in the Oxford edition (Marchant).

*Memorabilia* i. 3. 15-4. 3.

150. XENOPHON, *Memorabilia*.

Inv. No. 1546 B. Second century. Acquired in 1906. 14.5 cm. x 11.5 cm. Portions of three columns incomplete at the foot; col. ii is practically complete in width; of col. i only the ends of lines, of col. iii only a few traces are preserved. Twelve lines or so are lost from the foot of col. i; twenty-seven and twenty-nine are preserved respectively in cols. i and ii. Written along the fibres. Small regular rounded uncial hand. No punctuation. Iota adscript frequently added in the wrong place. *ν* is often represented by a line over the preceding vowel. Oldfather 1156. Collated with the Oxford text.

*Memorabilia* iv. 2. 1-4.

|          | Col. i.                       |    | Col. ii.                           |
|----------|-------------------------------|----|------------------------------------|
| iv. 2. 1 | [καταμαθων γαρ Ευθυ]δημῶ      | 3  | ανθρῳ{ι}πο[ις παλιν δε πο]         |
|          | [τον καλον γραμματ]α πολλα    | 30 | τε π[α]ροντο[ς του Ευθυδημου]      |
|          | [συνειλεγμενον ποι]ητων       |    | ορων αυτον [α]πο[χωρουντα]         |
|          | [τε και σοφιστων των] ευδοκι  |    | της συνεδρας και φυ[λαττο]         |
| 5        | [μωτατων και εκ του]των       |    | μενον μη δοξη τον Σω               |
|          | [ηδη τε νομιζοντα] διαφε      |    | κρατην θα[ν]μαζειν επι σοφι        |
|          | [ρειν των ηλικιωτω]ν επ{ε}ι   | 35 | αι οτι με[ν] ε[ν]φη{ι} ω{ι} ανδρες |
|          | [σοφiai και μεγαλας ελ]πιδας  |    | Ευθυδημ[ος] ουτοσι εν ηλι          |
|          | [εχοντα παντων δι]οισειν      |    | και γενομενος της πολεως           |
| 10       | [τωι δυνασθαι λεγε]ιν τε      |    | περι τινος λογον προτιθει          |
|          | [και πραττειν πρωτο]ν με      |    | σης ουκ αφεξεται του συμ           |
|          | [αισθανομενος αυτ]ον δια      | 40 | βουλευειν ευδηλον εστιν ε          |
|          | [νεοτητα ουπω εις τ]ην α      |    | ξ ων επιτηδευει δοκει δε           |
|          | [γοραν ιοντα ει δε τι β]ουλοι |    | μοι καλον προοιμιον των            |
| 15       | [το διαπραξασθαι] καθιζα      |    | δημη{ι}γοριων παρασκευαζεσ         |
|          | [νοντα εις ηνιοπ]ορειον τι    |    | θαι φυλαττομενος μη δοξη μα        |
|          | [των εγγυς της αγο]ρας εις    | 45 | θανειν τι παρα του δηλον γαρ       |
|          | [τουτο και αυτος ηει] των     |    | οτι λεγειν αρχομενος ω{ι}δε        |
|          | [μεθ εαυτου τινας] εχων       | 4  | προοιμιασεται παρ ουδενος          |
| 2 20     | [και πρωτον μεν] πυνθα        |    | μεν πωποτε ω ανδρες Α              |

7. εν B: ἐπὶ C al. 14. Space demands *ιόντα*: *εἰσιόντα* codd. 15. *καθίζοντα* codd. 32. *συνέδρας* B al.: *συνεδρίας* cett. 38. *λόγον περί τινος* codd. 39. Corrected from *απεξετάι*. 40. *ἐστίν* om. B. 43. *δημηγορίων* codd. duo: *-ρικῶν* cett. Corrected from *παρασκευαζεῖ* (*παρασκευάσασθαι* codd.).

|                              |                                   |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| [νομενου τινος ποτερο]ν      | θηναιοι ουδεν εμ[α]θον ου         |
| [Θεμιστοκλης δια συ]ν[ου]σι  | 50 δ̄ α[κ]ουωγ τιναξε[ι]ναι λε    |
| [αν τινος των σοφω]ν η{ι} φυ | γε[ι]ν τε κ[α]ι πραττειν ικα      |
| [σει τοσουτον διηνε]γκεν τῷ  | νους εζ[η]τησα τουτοις εν         |
| 25 [πολιτων ωστε προς] εκει  | τυ[χε]ιν ου[δ] επεμελη{ι}θην      |
| [νον αποβλεπειν την] πολι    | του διδασκαλον τινα [μ]ου γε      |
| [οποτε σπουδαιου ανδρο]ς δε  | 55 νεσθ[αι] των επισταμενῶ        |
| [ηθειη                       | [α]λ[λα] κ[α]ι τανα[ν]τια διατετε |
| .                            | [λεκα γαρ φευγων ο]ν μονον        |
| .                            | .                                 |
| .                            | .                                 |
| .                            | .                                 |
| .                            | .                                 |

51. The line over the ι of ικα is too long and straight to be the equivalent of the diaeresis (ῑ). It must be due to some confusion. 54. μοι codd.

### 151. XENOPHON, *Oeconomicus*.

Inv. No. 785. First to second century. Acquired in 1900. Two large fragments, the larger 26 cm. x 17.7 cm., and one small, containing five incomplete columns. Column 16.8 cm. x 5 cm. Margin at top 7.7 cm. Written along the fibres. Good-sized round uncial hand. The paragraphus is used. P. Oxy. ii. 227; Oldfather 1157. Collated in the Oxford text.

*Oeconomicus* viii. 17-ix. 2.

### 152. XENOPHON, *Symposium*.

Plate IX.

Inv. No. 184. Second to third century. Acquired in 1891. 15 cm. x 11.5 cm. Upper portions of two columns. Deep top margin 7.5 cm. Width of col. 4.5 cm. Parts of 9 lines in the first column and of 13 in the second are preserved. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized angular uncial hand; o is small, ε and s narrow and oval. The high point occurs twice. For another fragment of the same roll see P. Giss. i. 1, with plate. Between these two fragments three complete columns have disappeared. *Archiv* ii, p. 368; Haeblerlin 148; Oldfather 964. Corrected text in *Aegyptus*, iv (1923), p. 41. Collated with the Oxford text.

*Symposium* viii. 6-9.

|         | Col. i.                                                                                                                                                                                           | Col. ii.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| viii. 6 | [και φ]ερω φιλικως·<br>[αλλα] γαρ εφη του<br>[μεν] στον ερωτα<br>[αποκ]ρυπτωμεν<br>5 [επει]δη και εστιν<br>[ου ψυ]χης αλλ ευ<br>[μορφι]ας της ε<br>7 [μης οτι γε μ]ην<br>[συ ω Καλλια ερα]ις<br>. | 8 10 νου αλλα πασ[ιν]<br>επιδεικνυμε<br>νου αμα ρωμην<br>τε και καρτερ[ι]α[ν]<br>και ανδρειαν και<br>15 σφ[φ]ροσυνην· το<br>δε [τ]οιoutων ε<br>πιθυμειν τε<br>κμηριον εστι<br>και της του ερω<br>9 20 τος φυσεως ει [μ]ε[ν]<br>ον [μια εσ]τιν [Α]<br>φρ[οδιτη] η δι[ιτ]<br>[ται]<br>. |

1. και οἶσω after και φέρω codd. 4. Space demands [αποκ]ρυπτωμεν: κρύπτωμεν codd. 12. αμα: om. codd. 18, 19. εστι και: so AH<sup>a</sup>, και om. cett. 19, 20. ερωτος: codd. ἐρωμένον, doubtless a scribal error caused by the proximity of μεν οὖν.

### 153-156. EPICUREA HERCULANENSIA.

The following papyri from Herculaneum, originally presented by the Neapolitan Government to George, Prince of Wales (afterwards George IV), are now in the Dept. of MSS.: Inv. Nos. 117, 118, presented by Queen Victoria in 1865 and deposited in the Dept. of MSS. in 1883 and 1888 respectively; Inv. Nos. 1521, 1522 presented by King Edward VII in 1906.

#### 153. EPICURUS, *De Natura*.

Inv. No. 117. First century B.C. The unrolled part measures roughly 10 cm. x 105 cm. Written along the fibres. Small neat uncial hand. No. 153 forms with P. Herc. 1149, which precedes it, the upper part of a roll, the lower part of which is P. Herc. 993 (see Walter Scott, *Fragmenta Herculanensia* (1885), pp. 53-58). A duplicate roll is P. Herc. 1010. Published by Rosini in the Naples edition *Collectio Prior*, ii (1809), and republished by J. C. Orelli, *Epicuri Fragmenta librorum II et XI de Natura* (1818). Cf. also W. Scott, 'A newly

identified fragment of Epicurus' in *Journal of Philology*, xiii (1885), pp. 289-298, and A. Cosattini, 'Per una edizione dei frammenti del Περὶ φύσεως d' Epicuro' in *Riv. di Fil.* xxxiii (1915), pp. 292-308. A facsimile is published in the Oxford Facsimiles, vol. v, see catalogue in *Fragg. Hercul.* p. 38.

Περὶ φύσεως, Bk. II (wrongly given as Bk. XI in E. Martini's catalogue in D. Comparetti, *La Villa Ercolanense dei Pisoni*, 1883, p. 127).

#### 154. EPICURUS, *De Natura*.

Inv. No. 1521. First century B.C. 14 cm. × 179 cm. (roughly). Written along the fibres. Small uncial hand. The remainder of the roll is at Naples (P. Herc. 1042). Published by Rosini in the Naples *Collectio Prior*, ii (1809), and by Orelli *op. cit.* Facsimile in Oxford Facsimiles, vol. iv. A duplicate roll is P. Herc. 154 (cf. Gomperz in *Zeitschrift für die Oesterreich. Gymnasien*, 1867, pp. 207-210).

Περὶ φύσεως, Bk. XI (wrongly given by Martini as Bk. II).

#### 155. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1522. Unopened roll. P. Herc. 1462.

#### 156. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 118. Four charred unopened rolls. P. Herc. 1120, 1125, 1464, and one unnumbered. Accompanied by a MS. account in Italian of the method of unrolling.

#### 157. EPICURUS(?).

Inv. No. 1182. First century B.C. to first century A.D. Acquired in 1903. 23.2 cm. × 18.3 cm. Parts of three columns, all incomplete at the top. Breadth of central column 6 cm., space between columns 1 cm. Written along the fibres. Irregular uncial hand, the letters varying much in size; ε especially tends to be very large. The paragraphi are original and are accompanied by a space in the text. P. Oxy. ii. 215; Oldfather 951. Ascribed by Wilamowitz to Epicurus (*G. G. A.* 1900, p. 35), but Crönert in *Archiv* i, p. 527 regards the avoidance of hiatus as ruling out that attribution. H. Diels, however, defends the authorship of Epicurus in 'Ein epikureisches Fragment über Götterverehrung' (*Sitzb. Berl. Ak.* 1916, xxxvi-xxxviii, pp. 886-909).

Epicurean tract on popular religion.

## 158. EPICURUS (?).

Inv. No. 692. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1896. 7.5 cm. x 11.4 cm. Portions of two columns, very faint, the first being practically obliterated. Written along the fibres. Very small uncial hand. P. Grenf. ii. 7 (a); Haeblerlin 75; Oldfather 948. H. Diels, *Sitzb. Berl. Ak.* 1916, p. 900 f., suggests that Epicurus is the author.

Philosophical Work.

## 159 A. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 591 B (recto). Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 12 cm. x 21 cm. Imperfect at foot, the first and last column also imperfect at the side. Parts of four columns. Width of column 6.5 cm. Written along the fibres. Rather large square uncial hand. No punctuation. Paragraphi mark the different speakers. P. Petr. ii. 49 (e); Haeblerlin 137; Oldfather 950.

Dialogue on the kinship of mankind.

Col. i. 4 ]ν. γυναι- 5 ]ους ὅτι 8 ]ους ἔχει 9 ? ο]ῖκον αὐ- 10 ]ε ἐπαίδευ- 11 ]. α. ποισι 13 ] παῖδες τε 14 ]ντεχον 18 ]ν[; col. ii. 1 ἀσεβείς ἔσονται κα[. .] 3 ληιστὰς [? κλέ]π[τον-] 5-6 . . . λοι . . . . καὶ ὧδέ | μοι δοκ[εῖ] . . . . ἀσχεῖν 8 πετρ . . . . ρπον ὁμό-; col. iii. 5 ὁμπερ 13-14 καὶ [. .]s ἐκείνως ἀπο- | συμ[βο]υλεύοντας μὴ 16 [φυλόν ? γ]ε ὥστε δεῖ 17 ]ομ[. . .]-φύλα; col. iv. 5-7 washed out 12 τροτο . [ 14 βήσει . το[

## 159 B. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 591 B (verso). Not transcribed before. Similar hand to the recto. Surface in bad condition. Remains of three columns. Punctuation space in l. 3. Uncertain subject.

| Col. i.    | Col. ii.                | Col. iii.                      |
|------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ]ι ποτέ    | ὅτ[ε] ὕδωρ τε νοεῖ[. .] | ρων[. . . .]καίρεμ[. . .]ον    |
| ]ι ἥρνη-   | εῖναι καὶ τοτ' ἀνο[     | κη[. . . .]ον παραινεῖ         |
| ] . ν' τον | οὐδέπω διαγε . . . [    | 35 ἡμῖν ? τι]μᾶν ὥσπ[ερ] δῆ-   |
| ] . οτιμω  | 20 μους τινας τ[        | λον [ . . . .]αντων [. .] . ἔ- |
| 5 ]σεν φω- | ὕδωρ ἀνον . . [         | πεται . . ]εν ἡμῖν [ἀσ]ε-      |
| ]δον ὅτι   | γειν ἡμᾶς τ[            | βεῖν [. . . .]ανομα τ[.]s προ- |
| ] ἐπειδὴ   | ὅπερ οὐδεπ . [          | ενέγ[κασ]θαι αὐτὸν καὶ         |

6. Perhaps δη]λονότι. 33. A second ρ apparently inserted between ρ and ω. 35. τι]μᾶν: Crönert. 37-38. [ἀσ]εβεῖν: Cr. 38-39. προενέγ[κασ]θαι: Cr. To the left of these lines remains, perhaps from a scholion.

|    |                                       |                                                         |
|----|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
|    | ] . ενεῖ                              | ἡμ[ι]ν ὦ[ι]το . . . [ 40 οὐχ[ι] δει[γ]νόν των [.]νη ταν |
|    | ]επη 25 νεκοντ . . [                  | του [ . . . ]ους ὀλίγα προ-                             |
| 10 | ]αὐτὸν πρὸς αὐτ . . [                 | ονε[ . . . ]ασθαι πρὸς τὸ                               |
|    | ] . καὶ τοὺς ὠν κατα[.] . . . ]α[ ἡ-] | δεχ[ . . . ]ναι ἡμῶν [.] τι                             |
|    | ] . δη τι μῶν ἐπὶ ἐμο[υ] . . . ] . [  | απ . [ . . . ]το τοιοῦτο                                |
|    | ]βεβη- οὺς μενο . ω . [ . . ]νο[ἀσε-] | 45 . . ω[ . . . ]τάσσεται . . .                         |
|    | ]αιτου 30 βεῖν ἡμῶν οὐ[ . . . ]ν[     | . . ν[ . . . ] . [ . . . ]οι . [ . . ]ε.                |
| 15 | ] . μβα- ρωσεν[ . . ]ντ[              | . . . . .                                               |
|    | ]σιση ν . . [                         |                                                         |

12. Perhaps διῶτι.

24. Written in later between ll. 23 and 25.

40. των :

corrected from another word and uncertain.

# 160. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1874. First century B.C. Acquired in 1911. Five fragments, the largest 20 cm. x 25.5 cm. Width of column 7 cm. Written along the fibres. Rounded upright uncial hand. Surface much rubbed. The paragraphus marks change of speakers, of whom Theophanes is one.

Dialogue on Homeric questions.

## Fr. I.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

|    |                      |                        |
|----|----------------------|------------------------|
|    |                      | α . . . . . το . ν[    |
|    |                      | . . . . . ὁμοσευτ . [  |
|    | 15                   | σχ . . . . . ευοντ . [ |
|    |                      | δετε . ντ . . . . [    |
|    |                      | ψασις . . . [          |
|    |                      | [ . ]ατρι . . . .      |
|    |                      | ταύτης ἐρρε[           |
|    |                      | 20 χων καὶ σφό[δρα     |
|    |                      | δετου[                 |
| 10 | ] . . . . . [        | εζο[                   |
|    | ]χνον . [ . . . ]και | . [                    |
|    | κελεύθου ν[ . . . ]ο | . . . . .              |

17. ψ, φ less likely.

19. ρε, possibly ισ.

20. ο, ε possible.

Fr. 2.

Fr. 3.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

30

|                |                 |              |
|----------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                | α[              |              |
|                | ιδει . [        | 40 συν[      |
|                | ρον προ[        | νουδε . [    |
| 25 ]λλοι       | χα καὶ π[       | σα . τ . . [ |
| ] . .          | 35 [κα]ταιψε[υδ | . ο . [      |
| ] . .          | μνηστ[          |              |
| ἄλλοις         | ειν ἔαν[τ       |              |
| ] . . . . . ην | παδ . [         |              |
| ] . ασμένοις   | . ει[           |              |

Fr. 4.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

Col. iii.

|                                |                                   |                             |  |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
|                                |                                   |                             |  |
|                                | ll. 58 and 59 entirely illegible. |                             |  |
| 60 [.] . . . . .               | αυτ . .                           |                             |  |
|                                | [.]νον [.]αν . . α . . πάλαι      | 85 . . [                    |  |
|                                | [ἐ]πιστῆσαι ταῖς πράξεσιν         | . . [                       |  |
|                                | . . . . . ὦ Θεόφανες.             | . . [                       |  |
|                                | οὕτω καὶ πρότερον ἐῖ-             | τρ . . . [                  |  |
| 65 χον, οὐ μὴν ἔτι γε νῦν, ἀλ- | . . νοδ[                          |                             |  |
|                                | λά μοι δοκῶ τὸν ποιητὴν           | 90 μῆσ[                     |  |
| 45 ]σιν                        | ἀντὶ τῆς παιγνίας ταύ-            | παρ[                        |  |
| ]το                            | της ὁρᾶν ἀναγκαίωι τι-            | φαιν[                       |  |
| ] . ται                        | νὶ κεχρημένον. τίνοι τοῦ-         | μεῖτα . [                   |  |
| ] . . ην                       | 70 τωι; τῶι τοῦ Ὀδυσσέως ἐν       | μνηστήρων . . [ πε-         |  |
| ἐγ]νωσαν δι-                   | ὁδῶι νῆ Δία· μὴ γὰρ προ-          | 95 ποιηκέναι δε . . [       |  |
| ] . με                         | εἰσαγαγὼν τὸν Ἴρον ζῆ-            | τ[ο]ὺς προσαιτοῦντ[ας       |  |
| 50 ] . . . . . [.] .           | τεῖσθαι τοῦτον ἐποίει             | τ. νοικ . . [σ]υνεκαλ . . [ |  |
| ]νδε πᾶσχω τε[.] . .           | τίς ἐστὶν ἢ τί βουλόμενος         | . . νο . . . . . [          |  |

70. For the Irus episode see *Odyssey* xviii.

]. αλον . . . . 75 εἰσελήλυθεν; οὐκοῦν . . . . . παρασκευα-  
 ]. ινε. [. . . .] γὰρ τὸν Ἴρον, ὃ Θεόφανες, [ὁρ-] 100 ζ . . . . . ἔχον  
 ] τὸν Ἴρον οὐκ [. . .] . . . . . ὅπως λέγεις ἀ[λλὰ] κακείμ[ον] . . . . . χειν . . . .  
 55 ] . . . . . εἰσήγαγεν ὁ Ἰ[ρ]ος ὁ τῶν πρ . . . . . μη, οἷη  
 [μ]νη[σ]τή[ρ]ων . . . λυπ. λ τ . . νν . . . . . ὦται  
 ]αν 80 ων καὶ συνεχέ[ι]ς ισ. α[.]δ[.] . . εἰν . . . . . τωι τανῦν  
 ].. ἔχων ἐφ' ὃν μάλιστα . . . 105 α . . . . . Ἴρον . . . . .

Col. iv.

. . . . . αβι . . . . [  
 . . . . . των . . . . [  
 . . . . [ . . . . . ετι . . . . [  
 . . . . [ . . . . . τα . . . . λο[  
 εἰ μὴ τα[ 115 . . . . [  
 110 σεται το[ . . . . [  
 Fr. 5.  
 Traces of two lines.

## 161. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 208 C. First century. Acquired in 1891. 9 cm. x 8 cm. Bottoms of two columns. No complete line. Bottom margin 5.5 cm. Written along the fibres. Neat uncial hand. The subject seems to be philosophical. Haeblerlin 147; Oldfather 1132.

. . . . . [.]εδ[  
 τ[.]ν ἔνεκα ε- [.]ων τέκνα τ[  
 ]νν[.] . . . ολως ἡμᾶς τηρ[.]ιο . [  
 ] . τοῦ κ[ο]ινου ζη- δος τὸ καταφυ[λάτ-?]  
 ]αρο[.] . . . ἔτι 10 τον καθ' ὅσον οὐ[  
 5 ] Στωϊκούς θων ἡμεῖν φ[

5. στωϊκούς MS.

## 162. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 756. Third century. (On the recto is a document of A.D. 181-192). Acquired in 1900. 13 cm. x 7.2 cm. Thirteen much corrected lines in a rude hand, perhaps a school composition. Written across the fibres. Rough cursive hand. P. Oxy. i. 79.

Moral precepts.

## 163. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 275. Third century. Acquired in 1893. Two fragments (the larger 23.5 cm. × 22.5 cm.) from a papyrus codex, the outer margins very deep (side 5 cm., bottom 6.5 cm., top 4 cm.). The inner margin to the fold is narrower, 2 cm. Width of the leaf 15.5 cm., of the column 8.8 cm. Parts of three leaves, i. e. six pages, are preserved. Rather cursive hand of medium size. No stops or other lectional signs. Final *v* at the end of a line is often represented by a stroke over the vowel; occasionally the last letter of a line is enlarged to fill up the space. No complete line is preserved. First published by J. Bidez in *Rev. de Philol.* xxx (1906), pp. 161–172, where the opinion of Gomperz is quoted attributing the piece to the *Cyrus* of Antisthenes. Haebler in *Rh. Mus.* lxii (1907), p. 154 assigns the authorship to so late a writer as the Platonist Apollonius Syrus! The chief theme seems to be ἐγκράτεια. Haebler in 116; Oldfather 971.

Of kingly virtues.

## 4. SCIENCE AND MEDICINE

164. THEOPHRASTUS (?), *De Animalibus*.

Plate X.

Inv. No. 2242. Second to third century. Presented in 1922. It had formed part of a collection otherwise composed entirely of documents from Tebtunis ranging from the end of Augustus's to the earlier part of Claudius's reign and hence it was assigned in the *editio princeps* to the early first century; but palaeographical considerations make it necessary to reject the external evidence and to infer that its presence among the documents of the Tebtunis archive was accidental; the hand is closely similar to that of No. 152. 24.5 cm. × 11 cm. One column of 36 lines followed by a second column of which only a few letters in each line are preserved. Top margin 5 cm. Column 19.5 cm. × 5.5 cm. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized angular uncial hand. The small *o*, narrow *ε* and *s*, broad and shallow *μ* recall the script of the Bacchylides roll (No. 46). No punctuation. The angular line-filling sign occurs at the end of lines. Published by Milne in *Cl. Rev.* xxxvi (1922), p. 66 f., where it was attributed to Theophrastus, but Körte (*Archiv* vii, p. 248 f.) rejects this attribution, regarding it as a 'leichtfertiger Auszug aus Aristoteles mit Einfügung einiger absonderlicher Einzelheiten'.

Περὶ ζῴων. The subject is the dog.

## 165. SORANUS (?).

Inv. No. 137. Second century. Acquired in 1889. 23 cm.  $\times$  3.5 m. Thirty-nine columns or parts of columns containing from fifty to sixty lines each. Average dimensions of column 20.5 cm.  $\times$  7.5 cm. Written along the fibres. (On the verso are two passages belonging to the work on the recto and a short receipt, published by Diels (see *infra*), as well as a copy (in a later hand) of a rescript by the triumvir Marcus Antonius). Small and plain cursive hand similar to the hand of the *Ἀθηναίων Πολιτεία*. Punctuation by spaces conjoined with paragraphus or, in the case of more important pauses, with paragraphus and diple. At the same time the first letter of the line is pushed forward one letter's space into the margin. Numerous contractions, some hitherto unknown. First described by Kenyon in *Cl. Rev.* vi (1892), pp. 237-240. Edited by H. Diels as 'Anonymi Londinensis ex Aristotelis Iatricis Menoniis et aliis medicis Eclogae' in vol. iii, pt. 1 of the *Supplementum Aristotelicum* of the Berlin Academy (1893) with plate. Further fragments acquired in 1900 were published by Kenyon in *Sitzb. Berl. Ak.* 1901, pp. 1319-1321. M. Wellmann in an important essay in *Hermes*, lvii (1922), pp. 396-429 identifies the author as Soranus of Ephesus. Haeblerlin 104; Oldfather 819.

*In artem medendi Isagoge.*

## 166. HELIODORUS (?).

Inv. No. 155 (recto). Early second century. (On the verso is No. 58.) Acquired in 1891. 28.5 cm.  $\times$  36 cm. Five columns, the first and the last very imperfect. Dimensions of columns 23.4 cm.  $\times$  7 cm. Thirty-nine lines to the column. Written along the fibres. Small rounded uncial hand with cursive tendencies. No punctuation. The angular sign for filling up the line occurs five times, the paragraphus twice. A paragraphus with diple follows col. v, l. 37, after which the space of one line is left vacant for a chapter heading. Published with complete facsimile by K. Kalbfleisch, *Pap. Graec. Mus. Brit. et Mus. Berolin.* (1902). A study of the vocabulary and style by Crönert in *Archiv* ii, pp. 475-482 probably confirms the suspicion of Kalbfleisch that the author is Heliodorus. Haeblerlin 134; Oldfather 813.

On jaw-setting.

## 167. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 2397 (recto). Second to third century. (On the verso is No. 172.) Acquired in 1921. 17.2 cm. x 11.5 cm. The upper parts of two columns. Fifteen lines in each column preserved but no line complete. Lines which can be restored with certainty contain 20-27 letters. Wide upper margin 7 cm. Probable width of column 8 cm. Written along the fibres. Rather large upright compressed uncial hand. Sometimes at the end of a line a number of letters are huddled together in smaller script. The roll when complete must have had a handsome appearance. The author is doubtless a predecessor of Galen although the MS. might be almost contemporary with the latter.

*De Ossibus.*

Col. i.

|                   |                     |
|-------------------|---------------------|
|                   | σφαι]ρικὴν καὶ ὁ ἄ- |
| [στράγαλος        | ]πος· τὸ δὲ τῆς     |
|                   | ]ν ποσῶς ὑπο        |
|                   | ]ι καὶ ὑποτετρά-    |
| 5 [γωνον          | ὁ]πίσθιον ἐαν-      |
| [τ                | ]ν ἔχει οὔτε στρογ- |
| [γύλον οὔτε τετρ] | άγωνον με-          |
|                   | τ]ῷ σχήματι         |
|                   | ]ν εἰλικρινῶς       |
| 10                | ἐμπ]ροσθεν λε-      |
| [γομ              | ] αὐτῷ ἀστ[ρα-]     |
| [γαλ              | ] κοιλ[.]           |
|                   | ] ἐπιτρι-           |
|                   | ]λου . . ν          |
| 15                | ] . ε .             |

4. ὡ, perhaps ν.

10. Suppl. by Cr. λε or δι.

Col. ii.

ἢ [χα]λκοειδοῦς κα[λουμένου]  
 ὁστέου ὅπερ ἐστὶν τέλος πτέρ-  
 νης ἥρμονται χόνδ[ροις]

16. [χα]λκοειδοῦς: so Crönert who quotes Galen xiv. 725 (Kühn): αἷς δέχεται τὰ χαλκοειδῆ ὁστᾶ. 17. Suppl. by Cr.

τῷ κατὰ σύμφυσιν τ[ρόπῳ],  
 20 τῶν ἐν αὐτοῖς τοῖς δυ[οῖν ὁστέ-]  
 οῖς τούτοις ἀνωμαλιῶ[ν καὶ κοι-]  
 λοτήτων ἐναλλάξ ἔμ[παλιν]  
 παρατιθεμένων τὸ δ[ὲ πρό-]  
 σθιον τοῦ ἀστραγάλου μ[έρος σφαι-]  
 25 ρικῷ κεχρημένον ὄγκ[ῳ καθά-]  
 περ εἶπον ἐναρμοσθὲν ἐ[νὶ ὁστέ-]  
 ῳ τῶν τοῦ ταρσοῦ σκαφώ[δει]  
 καλουμένῳ τῷ καθ' ἀρμ[ονί-]  
 αν ὑποπέπτωκεν τρόπ[ῳ δ]  
 30 δὲ ὀπίσθιος τῆς πτέρυγος [ὄγκος]

19. τ[ρόπῳ]: very little of τ remains. 22. εἰμ, ο and ν less likely. Perhaps ἐναντίον.  
 23-28. Cf. Galen, *de Ossibus* (Kühn ii. 776): τὰ δὲ πρόσω κεφαλῇ σφαιροειδεῖ ἐπ' αὐχένι  
 προμήκει πεφυκνία διαρθροῦται πρὸς τὸ ὁστοῖν τὸ καλούμενον σκαφοειδές. 25, 26. Suppl. by  
 Cr. 27. σκαφοειδεῖ would be the normal form but ο cannot be read here. 28. Cf. Galen,  
*op. cit.* 737: ἡ δὲ ἄρμονία συνάρθρωσις ἐστὶ κατὰ γραμμὴν ἀπλήν. 30. Suppl. by Cr.

## 168. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 2055 (verso). Early first century. (On the recto is No. 176.)  
 Acquired in 1914. 23.2 cm. × 41 cm. Three columns nearly entire and traces of  
 a fourth. Col. i is preceded by a margin considerably wider than the inter-  
 columnar margins and presumably was the commencement. Written across the  
 fibres. Fairly large cursive hand. P. Oxy. viii. 1088; *Archiv* vi, p. 262 f.;  
 Oldfather 824.

Medical receipts.

## 169. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 113 (15 b). Fifth to sixth century. Acquired in 1878. 7.9 cm. ×  
 5.7 cm. Fragment from top of a papyrus leaf. Small sloping uncial hand.  
 On the recto l. 11 is indented by a space of two letters and perhaps begins a new  
 heading.

Medical receipts.

Recto.

ετων καὶ τ[  
 νοῦσιν ἐὰν [  
 νοι καὶ κα . [

Verso.

δια]θέσεως καρ-  
 [δίας ἀ]γαδεύεται τὸ  
 ]ως ὁπτῇ ἀη

|              |    |               |
|--------------|----|---------------|
| τινων ἀπ[    | 15 | ] μιγνύεται   |
| 5 μενον ἀ[   |    | ]ιν ἰσχυρῶς   |
| πρὸς με[     |    | ] πικρὸν εἶ   |
| ατι τρη[     |    | ]ν τοῦτο λε-  |
| το παθον[    |    | ]τα ἀκρι[β]ῶς |
| πρὶν γε . [  | 20 | ἡ]μιολίαν εἰ  |
| 10 σιν ἱκαν[ |    | ἀ]λεύρου λόγῳ |
| ἐξαρτισ[     |    | ἀνα]δεύεται   |

7. η, ει possible.  
16. MS. ἰσχυρως.

10. MS. ἱκαν.  
22. λεγρ possible.

11. εξ, confused traces. Perhaps δυ.

### 170. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 2559. First century. Acquired in 1924. 15 cm. x 6.3 cm. Parts of 24 lines from the left side of a column, incomplete at top and right side. Square smallish rather delicate hand, with early characteristics.

Medical receipts.

[. . . .] . [

[. .] . τωι . [

[. .] υσοτετ[

[ἀνώ]δυνος α[

5 α[ι] φλεγμον[αὶ

καὶ τὰ ἄλγη ἀνα[

πολὺ παύεται κ[

τὴν εἰρημέν[ην

αντιος α[.ομ[

10 τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν [τε κ]αὶ [

ματι χρῆσθαι κα[ὶ τ]ου[ \*

συντίθεται δὲ πλείω π[

καταπλασμάτων [.η[

ται δὲ αὐτ[ῶ]ν τὰ χαριέ[στατα ?

15 καὶ ἰδιώτη εὐσυνθέτω[ς ὀ-]

>—

3. τ, υ possible in each case.

5. α, really more like δ.

15. εὐσυνθέτω[ς: Crönert.

τὰν μὲν οὖν ὁ ὀφθαλμὸς περιώ-  
 δυνος ἦ μ[  
 καταπλάσματος[ι χρώνται τοιούτοις]  
 ὧδὸν ὀπτήσαν[τες τὸ πυρ-]  
 20 ρὸν αὐτοῦ τρεῖς[ουσι  
 μιγνύειν δὲ τοῦ[το χρὴ μετὰ τοῦ 'Αν-]  
 δρωνείου τοῦ πρ[  
 ματα φαρμακο[ τὸ δὲ λευκὸν]  
 μέρος τοῦ ὧιο[υ

16-18, Suppl. by Cr. who compares Galen xii. 743 (K.) where Heracleides of Tarentum is quoted via Asclepiades. 21-23. Suppl. by Cr. who quotes τροχίσκος Ἀνδρών(ε)ιος from Galen xiii. 834 (πρὸς πολλὰ πολυχρήστῃ φαρμάκῳ).

## 171. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 2558 (verso). Third century. (On the recto is an account or list of property.) Acquired in 1924. 14.5 cm. x 9.6 cm. Column complete in height and breadth, but mutilated and defaced in the top left corner. Large upright uncial hand with cursive elements. The contents are perhaps rather magical than medical, and the arrangement resembles (e.g.) that of the receipts in P. Lond. 121 recto, col. 5, but one of the ingredients in the second receipt is recommended for the same purpose by Dioscorides.

Medical receipts.

. λε . λιχὸν ἥδεσθαι  
 [. . . . .] μετὰ κόπρ[ο]ν  
 χ[ε]λιδό[ν]ος σὺν μέλειτι  
 τρεῖς[ας] . . . . .  
 5 Πολλὰ συννουσιάζειν  
 εὐζώμου σπέρμα  
 μετὰ στροβιλίων σὺν  
 οἴνῳ τρεῖς[ας] νήστης  
 πίε.

3. So Crönert. Cf. Galen xii. 939. Less likely α[λε]κδο[ρ]ος (sc. ἀλέκτορος), for which cf. Gal. xii. 303-304. 1. μέλιτι. 4. Traces suit [χ]ρεῖσαι = χρῖσαι (Cr.) in which case τρεῖς[ας] is too long. 1. περιχ[ρεῖσαι] But τρεῖς[ας] seems demanded by sense. 5. π of πολλά very doubtful, but cf. P. Lond. 121 recto, 182-184: πολλὰ βινεῖν δύνασθαι· στροβίλια πεντήκοντα μετὰ δύο κυά[μ]ων γλυκέως καὶ κόκκους πεπέρως τρεῖς[ας] πίε. 6. Cf. Dioscorides ii. 140: εὐζώμον πλείον βρωθὲν συννουσιάν παρορμᾷ, καὶ τὸ σπέρμα δ' αὐτοῦ τὸ αὐτὸ ποιεῖ. 8. 1. τρεῖς[ας].



|    |                |    |                               |
|----|----------------|----|-------------------------------|
| ]  | μέτρον         |    | ἐπικέ[ν]τρων . . κεντροε[ιδ ? |
| ]  | . . ν βημα     | 40 | ὁπότερον τῶν [ἐ]πικέν[τρων    |
| ]  | τρων ἀρε-      |    | πιστὸν εἶναι ὡς μὴ ὄντ[       |
| 15 | ]. τη δεον     |    | τῶν παθητικῶν μ[              |
| ]  | . ν ἄκριτος    |    | ἤτοι ἐξ ἀπορροίας η[ ἐπί-]    |
| ]  | . . ν . . ερος |    | λημτος δια . [                |

13. β very uncertain.

39. κεντροε, σ possible but hardly ν.

## 173. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1526 (verso). Late second century. Acquired in 1906. Height 26.5 cm. Longest fragment 58.5 cm. Parts of nine columns, but only the first is tolerably complete. Width of column 10.5 cm. Written across the fibres. Round medium-sized uncial hand. P. Oxy. iii. 465, where all but the unimportant fragments are transcribed. The calendar is arranged according to months with their zodiacal signs, and within the month by groups of five days. The contents correspond closely, as observed by Boll, with the description by Porphyry of the Hermetic work called *Σαλμενιχιακά*. *Archiv* iii, p. 296.

Astrological Calendar.

6. LITERARY CRITICISM, COMMENTARIES,  
GRAMMAR, LEXICOGRAPHY174. JULIUS AFRICANUS, *Kestoi*.

Inv. No. 2040 (recto). Third century. (Document on verso dated A.D. 275-276.) Acquired in 1914. 26.5 cm. x 22.3 cm. Two columns, the first incomplete on the left, numbered 35 and 36 respectively. Forty-three lines to the first column, which is broader than the other in order to accommodate the Homeric quotations line by line. The final column has only twenty-five lines followed by the subscription 'Ιουλίου Ἀφρικανοῦ κεστός ιη, and a blank space. Written along the fibres. Well-formed round uncial hand of medium size. P. Oxy. iii. 412, with plate; *New Pal. Soc.* i. 104; *Archiv* iii, p. 297 f.; Oldfather 2. Cf. also 'Der Homertext der Kestoi' by E. Hefermehl in *Berl. Phil. Woch.* xxvi (1906), cols. 413-415.

*Kestoi*, end of book xviii.

## 175. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 734 (verso). Early third century. (On the recto is a land register.) Acquired in 1896. Thirty-four fragments (largest 20 cm. x 6 cm.) No line or column is complete, but a certain number of lines can be accurately supplemented. The number of letters to the line seems to approximate to thirty. Written across the fibres. Medium-sized semi-cursive hand. Punctuation by blank spaces. Marks of elision are frequent in the Homeric quotations. A grave accent is placed on ἔτεον, fr. 8, l. 1, and a circumflex on δῆ, fr. 8, l. 5. The coincidences between the text and certain passages of the pseudo-Plutarchian *Vita Homeri* suggest that we have here the source of parts at least of that treatise and of certain extracts in Stobaeus quoted by Bernardakis in his edition of Plutarch's *Moralia*, vol. vii, pp. ix-xx, from which the references in the notes are taken. Other works which may be consulted are: H. Schrader, *De Plutarchi Ὀμηρικαῖς Μελέταις et de eiusdem quae fertur Vita Homeri*; the chapter 'L'exégèse Pythagoricienne des poèmes Homériques' in A. Delatte's *Études sur la littérature Pythagoricienne* (1915); and A. Ludwig, 'Plutarch über Homer' in *Rh. Mus.* lxxii (1917-1918), pp. 537-593. Ch. Jensen, in an essay 'Zur Poetik des Krates von Pergamon' appended to his edition of Philodemus, *Περὶ ποιημάτων*, bk. v, traces the development of the allegorical interpretation of Homer to the Stoics and to Krates in particular. Oldfather 958.

Homeric Interpretations (Allegorical).

## Fr. 1.

καὶ κρείσσονος ἔ[ν] παντὶ τὸ κράτος]  
 ἔχοντος· ἔπειτα [τοῖς μὲν οὐρανίοις]  
 θεοῖς τὰ περιτ[..... τοῖς δὲ]  
 νερτέροις δα[ίμοσι τὰ ἄρτια ἀπονέμει]  
 5 ὃ τε γάρ {ὁ} Νέστω[ρ τῷ Ποσειδῶνι θύει]  
 ἐννεάκ[ισ ἐννέα ταύρους καὶ τὸν Ὀδυσ-]  
 σέα θύειν κ[ελεύει ὁ Τειρεσίας ἀρνεῖν]  
 ταῦρόν τε σ[υῶν τ' ἐπιβήτορα κάπρον]  
 [καὶ ὁ] Χρύση[s

1-8. Cf. *Vit. Hom.* p. 417, ll. 10, 15-20. After οὐρανίοις in *V. H.* there must be an omission. 3. τ, π possible. περιττὰ unlikely, as περισσὰ is regular in the MS. 4. ἄρτια (Cr.), but cf. *Les Scolies Genevoises* (ed. Nicole) ii. 15: ὁ δὲ ἐννέα ἀριθμὸς τοῖς καταχθονίοις ἀνέεται. 8. *Od.* xi. 131, xxiii. 278.

## Fr. 2.

το νικῶσιν α[ὐτοὶ οἱ] περισσοί· καὶ μὴν  
 [[γε]] ἐν αὐτοῖς γε τ[οῖς π]ερισσοῖς οἱ Πυθα-  
 γορικοὶ μεσότη[τα τρι]άδος ἀξίωμα  
 καὶ τὴν δύναμι[ν . . . . .] ε[.]σαν κα-  
 5 τεῖδον· ἐστὶν γὰρ ἀπὸ τοῦ πρώτου περισ-  
 σοῦ τετράγωνο[ς περισσὸς  
 ἀλλὰ περισσάκεις [περισσὸς εἰς τρεῖς διαι-]  
 ρούμενος τρι[άδας ὧν ἐκάστη τριάς]  
 πάλιν εἰς μον[άδας τρεῖς διαιρεῖται]  
 10 [. . .] δὲ καὶ κα[

2. MS. γε with following ε written over α.  
 p. 418.

5. Cf. *Scol. Gen.* ii. 16 and *Vit. Hom.*

## Fr. 3.

. . . . .  
 ]απτατ[  
 ] ἐπιστα[  
 με]ν αἰε[ὶ μέμνησαι  
 ] λήθω τιμῆς ἧς τε μ' [ἔοικε  
 5 ]θαι μ[ε]τ' Ἀχαιο[ις] καὶ κλαίον[τες  
 ]ο ἐν[η]έος ὅστ[ε]α λευκά ἀλλ[  
 ]υ διαρρήδην ἐνείην τή[ν  
 ] καὶ ἐνγέα τὸν ἀγαθὸν [  
 τ]ῆς ἐνάδος εἶρηκ[  
 10 ] τὸ μὴ φίλον μηδὲ [  
 ]ον ἀποφάσει κα[

3-5. *Il.* xxiii. 648, 649 ὥς μεν αἰὲ μέμνησαι ἐνείος οὐδέ σε λήθω | τιμῆς ἧς τε μ' ἔοικε  
 τετιμῆσθαι μετ' Ἀχαιοῖς.

5, 6. *Il.* xxiii. 252 κλαίοντες δ' ἐτάροιο ἐνείος ὅσ τεα λευκά.

7. Cf. *Vit. Hom.* p. 417 ἐνγέα τὸν ἀγαθὸν λέγων πολλάκις καὶ ἐνείην τὴν τοιαύτην διάθεσιν.  
 διαρρήδην occurs also in the quotation of Stobaeus, p. xvii.

## Fr. 4.

## Col. i.

. . . . .  
 ]νεσ[  
 ]κατὰ πα[  
 ]μεν κα[

Col. ii.

] . μενει . [ . . . . .  
 5 ]μα χρη̃ τρις [ ]χρηται  
 ]κατηλω̃ . [ ]δετο  
 ]σελθόντος [ . [...] . [...] αιτηκώς  
 ]<sup>εων</sup>νέμητον . [ 15 ὁ μάλλον ἐτέρω . . . . . ἀ]ριθμῶν  
 ]β]οηθείαν . [ πρόσεστιν ἀλλ[ . . . . . ] τιμῶν  
 10 ]οις ἐξ δὲ τοῦ[ς] π[. . .] . τή[ν] σεμνότητα [καὶ τὴν εὐγέ]νειαν  
 ]σοι ἄρτιοι πρὸς ε . ιον ὥς ν(ε)ίκεσ(σ) ὁ γέρων [τοὶ δ' ἐννέα π]ά]ντες

Col. i. 8. Cf. Stobaeus, p. xviii τὰ δ' ἄκρα καὶ περατοῦντα ἀνέμητα. 14. Or  
 προσ]απτικῶς: Cr. 18. Π. vii. 161. Quoted in *Vil. Hom.* p. 418. MS. νικεσ'.

Fr. 5.

. . . . .  
 ] . . [ . . .  
 [. . .]τηι μ[. . .] τὸν μὲν [ . . . ]ων φ[. . .]ντα τῆς [. . .]μ[. . .]  
 [. . .]αιτούση[ς πο]λλάκις ἀλλ' Ὁ[δν-]  
 5 [σῆα] προθεῦσ[α φ]ίλον κατατήκ[ομαι]  
 [ῆτορ] πάλιν τοίνυν ἐν τῇ τῶν ὄπλ[ων]  
 [ἀπο]θέσει τοῦ Τηλεμάχου φῶς  
 [ιδόν]τος προφαῖνον αὐτοῖς καὶ  
 [τὴν] αἰτίαν ὑπονοήσαντος καὶ [εἰ-]  
 10 [πόν]τος ἣ μάλα τις θεὸς ἔνδον [οἶ]  
 [οὐρ]ανὸν εὐ[ρ]ῦν ἔχουσιν ἐπιλαμ-  
 [βανό]μενος ὁ [πατήρ]

4. MS. ἀλλ'. *Od.* xix. 136. 9-12. Cf. Stobaeus, p. xvii. 10 f. *Od.* xix. 40

Fr. 6.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

. . . . .  
 ] . . . . .  
 ] . . . . .  
 ] καὶ ἀνα-  
 ] . . . ν  
 δ[  
 ρατερ[ φι-  
 λοσοφ[ μου-  
 σικὴ τ[

Col. ii. 2. ρ, perhaps ι.

|              |            |
|--------------|------------|
| 5 ] . ον     | 20 σφοδρὸν |
| ] εν . ρ .   | δὲ ἀμβ[    |
| ] . . . ε    | έντειν[    |
| ] . . . .    | έμπν[ε     |
| ] . . . .    | σαδιο . [  |
| 10 ] . . . . | 25 νοι τη[ |
| ] ε . . . ην | λον εα[    |
| defaced      | ψυχῆς [    |
| ”            | παγο[      |
| ”            | ανα[       |
| 15 ”         | 30 ενει[   |

20. Cf. *Vit. Hom.* p. 419: τὸ σφοδρὸν ἀνιείσαν.  
musical instruments: τοῖς τε έμπνευστοῖς τοῖς τε έντατοῖς.

22, 23. Cf. *Vit. Hom.* p. 420, of  
30. ε, or ρ.

| Fr. 7.             | Fr. 8.         | Fr. 9.        |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------|
| · · · · ·          | · · · · ·      | · · · · ·     |
| ] ει[              | ] εἰ έτεόν [   | ] ηι[         |
| ] φίλωι τ[         | ] νατο μή[τηρ  | ἀ]ριθμ[       |
| Α]ῖας τε μέγας     | ἴσ]τω τόδε [   | ] . τωι τη[   |
| κηρ]ύκων δ' [Οδῖος | τι]ς οἰκείων [ | ] ιρανω [     |
| 5 ἄ]μ' έπέσθ]ων    | 5 α τίς δῆ [   | 5 π]ολλαχοῦ [ |
| πρεσ]βευταῖς [     | Πυθαγ]ορικῶν   | ] πρῶτον [    |
| ] μένος ἀλ[        | ] τοδε ἰχ[     | ]ς πέντε μ[   |
| ] γένηται [        | ] ωι φο[       | ] στων [      |
| ] . ουκ [          | · · · · ·      | ] ων [        |
| 10 ] τησαι[        |                | 10 ἔκα]στος   |
| · · · · ·          |                | ] η[ . ] τ[   |
| · · · · ·          |                | · · · · ·     |

Fr. 7. 3-5. *Il.* ix. 169-170. 4. MS. δ'. 5. MS. α]μ'.

Fr. 8. 1. MS. έτεον. 1-5. *Od.* xvi. 300, 302, 303. Quoted with the same readings  
in *Vit. Hom.* p. 421. 5. MS. δῆ.

Fr. 9. 7. μ[οίρας? 10. *Il.* xv. 189? Cf. *Vit. Hom.* p. 417.

| Fr. 10.   | Fr. 11.   | Fr. 12.     | Fr. 13.   |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| · · · · · | · · · · · | · · · · ·   | · · · · · |
| ] και μ[  | ] οια[    | τησ . . . [ | ] εκαι[   |
| ] ατον [  | ] εσπ . [ | . . . [     | ] αιτου[  |
| · · · · · | · · · · · | · · · · ·   | · · · · · |

Fr. 14.

Fr. 15.

Fr. 16.

]μακρὸς Ὀλυμπος?

]·[

]ναπ . . . ετεν[

]κληρον δ[

] . δε προ . [

] . ὕκη . . . εἰεγί[

$$] \nu \tau \alpha . \in . [$$

] . φιλομ[

$$]v$$

Fr. 14. 1. *Il.* xv. 193? Cf. Stobaeus, p. xviii.

Fr. 17.

Fr. 18.

] . και[

] μειζόνω[ν

]σουσι[

] . κεφαλα[

]VTES [

]θος οὐτε τ[

]σται[

$$] \omega \nu [$$

]ακη[

αλλ

Fr. 19.

Fr. 20.

]ηκαι[

]ν τότε πρὸς τὸν [

] εἰπεῖν ἐρωτη[

ἐ]πεσι τούτοις πρ[

5 Τυδ]είδην Διομήδ[εα

КЕК[

χρύσ]εα χαλκ(ε)ίων ἐκα[

каδ[

γίνεται γὰρ [

ρων [

$$] \epsilon [$$
 $OL \cdot [$ 

Fr. 19. 5-6. *Il.* vi. 235-236.

Fr. 21.

Fr. 22.

Fr. 23.

Fr. 24.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

|           |          |         |                |                 |
|-----------|----------|---------|----------------|-----------------|
| [υδῖ[     | ]ον      |         | ]πρ[           | ] εἰς τὸ πλ . [ |
| ]θεσιν[   | ]περτο   | . . . . | ]ηπ[           | ]ων σὺν δὲ φ[   |
| ]εν ἐκ μ[ | ]αι μετα | τ[      | ]νευον[        | ] οὐδὲ τριτ[    |
| ]..[      | ]ντος α  | τ[      | ]νσιν κα[      |                 |
| . . . .   | . . . .  | . . . . | ] καὶ πάλ[ιν ? |                 |
|           |          |         | ] . χρω[ν [    |                 |
|           |          |         | ] παραστ[      |                 |

Fr. 24. 2. Homeric quotation.

Fr. 25.

Fr. 26.

Fr. 27.

Fr. 28.

Fr. 29.

Fr. 30.

|          |            |               |                |          |             |
|----------|------------|---------------|----------------|----------|-------------|
| ]λαρτ[   | ]νκα[      | ]μ[           | ] . η[         | ]βαρ[    | ] . διηιδ[  |
| ]ρασι[   | ] . θελ[   | ]εσ[          | ]αι κακίαι [   | ]ανο . [ | Δε]νκαλίω[ν |
| ]ατρωι [ | ] τIAN . [ | ]ηθ[          | ] καὶ πνεῦμα [ | ]κον [   |             |
| ]s οδ[   | . . .      | ]μ[           | ]ωνων ἀμετρ[   | . . .    |             |
| ] ἀνακτ[ | ]αν[       | ] . ενεν σῶμ[ |                |          |             |
| . . . .  | . . . .    | . . . .       | . . . .        |          |             |

Fr. 31.

Fr. 32.

Fr. 33.

Fr. 34.

|         |                    |          |       |
|---------|--------------------|----------|-------|
| ]κ[     | ]μοντος ὅτι . [    | ]ηντ[    | ]β[   |
| ]χει[   | ] δεξιὸν καὶ φῶς [ | ]μεδ[    | ]αια[ |
| ] και[  | ] φῶς σκοτ[        | ] . ητο[ | ]νπ[  |
| ]τια[   | . . . .            | ]τατ[    | ]οτ[  |
| . . . . | . . . .            | . . . .  | ]ατ[  |

Fr. 32. 3. φως cancelled.

## 176. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 2055 (recto). First century B.C. (On the verso is No. 168.)  
 Acquired in 1914. 23·2 cm. x 41 cm. Three very broad columns remain.  
 Dimensions of col. ii (the only complete one) 20·5 cm. x 15·5 cm. Very narrow  
 margins. Forty lines to the column (the last has forty-one). Written along the  
 fibres. Small sloping semi-cursive hand. No stops. Pauses are marked by

blank spaces here and there accompanied by marginal paragraphi. Several of the conventional abbreviations not infrequent in such works are employed, e. g.  $\mu = \mu\acute{\epsilon}\nu$ ,  $\tau = \tau\acute{\omega}\nu$ ,  $/ = \acute{\epsilon}\sigma\tau\acute{\iota}$ . A monogram of  $\chi$  and  $\rho$  in the margin stands for  $\chi\rho\eta\sigma\tau\acute{o}\nu$  and calls attention to passages considered of special value. The critical signs of Aristarchus are frequently prefixed to the lemmata, and their grounds are explained. P. Oxy. viii. 1086; *Archiv* vi, p. 252 f.; Oldfather 722.

Scholia on *Iliad* ii. 751-827.

# 177. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 113 (14 b). Fourth century. Acquired in 1878. 12 cm.  $\times$  8 cm. Fragment imperfect on all sides, but the column is almost complete on the left. Written across the fibres. Large, rough, semi-cursive hand. Between the words and their interpretations there is sometimes a series of dots or small dashes. The supplements have been suggested by Crönert from the so-called scholia of Didymus in the Oxford edition of the *Iliad* (1686).

Scholia minora (D) on *Iliad* v. 670-710.

$\mu$ ]αιμησε εταραχ[θη  
ο]λοφυνδον :: οικτ[ρον  
] αιων ===== βιος [  
α]μπνυνθη ανε[πνευσεν  
5 ζ]ωγρει ανεζω[πυρει  
] κεκαφητοτα == εκπεπ[νευκοτα καφος γαρ το πνευμα]  
] ενθεν και περικ[ηπος ο περιπνεομενος τοπος]  
π]ροτρεοντο :: προτροπ[αδην εφευγον  
] προτραπηναι δε [  
10 α]ντεφεροντο : εξ εν[αντίας εφεροντο  
πλ]ημναι χοινικιδ[ες  
πιο]να δημον εχον[τες ευδαιμονα ευδαιμονιζοντο γαρ]  
] πλουσιοι ου[τες  
].[

3. A stroke over the  $\iota$  of αιων makes it like  $\gamma$ . 6. κεκα over a deletion. 7.  $\delta\theta\epsilon\nu$  καὶ κῆπος D. The περι has become attached from περιπνεόμενος. 8. D continues:  $\delta\acute{\epsilon}\sigma\tau\iota$  μὴ συστραφέντες, μὴ στρεφόμενοι προτραπήναι γάρ ἐστι τὸ μεταστραφέντα ἐκφεύγειν 11. πλ]ημναι from l. 726, perhaps confused with λίμνη, l. 709. For the gloss see D and the Greek-Coptic glossary of Dioscorus (*Aegyptus*, vi, p. 188), l. 121. 12. ευδαίμονα D, the rest suppl. by Cr.

## 178. AMMONIUS (?).

Inv. No. 1184 (verso). Second century. (On the recto is No. 185.) Acquired in 1903. Height of roll 16.6 cm. Parts of seventeen columns, of which four are practically complete while four others are fairly well preserved. Column 13.3 cm.  $\times$  6.5 cm. Extreme number of lines to a column 38. Written across the fibres. Small cramped informal uncial hand. Points, breathings, and accents are sparingly used. Paragraphi often mark the conclusion of a note. Quotations frequently project by the width of one letter from the beginnings of lines. Between cols. x and xi is the semi-cursive signature 'Αμμόνιος 'Αμμωνίου γραμματικὸς ἐσημειωσάμην. P. Oxy. ii. 221, with plate; *Archiv* i, pp. 533-536; Oldfather 729. See Wilamowitz in *G. G. A.* 1900, pp. 37-44. The scholia show an affinity to the B, T, and Gen. group.

Scholia on *Iliad* xxi.

## 179. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 131 (2, verso). First century. Acquired in 1889. One and a half columns between half-column 10 and col. 11 of the 'Αθηναίων Πολιτεία (No. 108) reversed. First column (22.7 cm.  $\times$  9.5 cm.) of 43 lines, half-column of 22 lines. Originally the first roll of the papyrus began here. The scribe of the 'Αθηναίων Πολιτεία, starting from the other end of the roll, deleted these columns with cross-strokes and continued his own text on an additional length of papyrus pasted on later. Written across the fibres. Small cursive hand similar to the first and fourth hand of the 'Αθηναίων Πολιτεία and with the same numerous abbreviations. No stops or other lectional marks. The lemmata project considerably into the left margin. Published by van Herwerden and van Leeuwen in their edition of the 'Αθηναίων Πολιτεία (1891), pp. 180-185, and in Kenyon's 3rd edition (1892), App. ii. Haeberlin 90; Oldfather 170.

Commentary on Demosthenes, κατὰ Μειδίου.

Ken. p. 217, l. 18 τότε seems to be followed by γ(άρ). 23. ἐπὶ τ(ῆς) Ἰταλ(ίας)  
Ken.: ἐπὶ τ(ῆς) Πελ(οποννήσου) more probable.

## 180. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 815. First to second century. Acquired in 1900. From Harît. 12 cm.  $\times$  11.11 cm. Remains of three columns. Breadth of column 5.5 cm. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized slightly sloping uncial hand. No

punctuation or other lectional signs. The angular sign is used to fill up the space at the end of col. ii, l. 14, while the quotations are distinguished from the explanatory matter by being made to project to the left by the space of a couple of letters. P. Fay. 3; *Archiv* ii, p. 367; Oldfather 102.

Commentary on Aristotle's *Topics* ii. 2.

## 181. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 131 (2, recto). First century. Three columns, the first and third with only a few lines each, the second of 48 lines. Written across the fibres on the back (i. e. the verso of this particular κόλλημα) of col. xi of the 'Αθηναίων Πολιτεία (No. 108). Small cursive hand similar to the first hand of the 'Αθηναίων Πολιτεία, with many contractions. The lower part of col. ii is much defaced and often illegible. Professor Hunt recognized in the text scholia on a poem of Callimachus (P. Oxy. 2079), which he was editing for Part xvii of the *Oxyrhynchus Papyri*, then passing through the press, and comparison with the poem threw much light on the scholia, in themselves mainly unintelligible and in places unreadable. The text printed below is in large part due to him; as the scholia can only be understood in connexion with the poem detailed commentary has been left to his edition of the latter. Col. i, partially deleted (l. 2 was probably washed out and l. 1 may have been meant to be), has apparently no connexion with what follows. The persons mentioned in ll. 3-5 are characters in the *Ajax* of Sophocles; l. 6 is unintelligible, but is perhaps referred to in the equally obscure ll. 7 and 8. The guidance of P. Oxy. 2079 fails after l. 41.

Scholia on the *Aitia* of Callimachus.

Col. i.

. ἀγνεως  
[. . α . σ .]  
4 (?) lines washed out.  
Αἴας τίνα  
Τέκμησσαν  
5 Ὀδυσσεύς  
αιαιν

μετέβαλε  
οἶμον πάτο(ν) ὁμοί(ως)  
τ(ήν) πλατεῖαν  
30 ἃ πάντως καὶ τὰ ἐξ(ῆς)  
ᾧφελον ἵνα τὸ [γῆρας ?]  
καὶ τ(ήν) δρόσο(ν) προτ...  
πρὸς τὸ δε.... ( )  
ην μεν....

1. The first letter is most like β. 3. Sc. σημαίνει? So Cr. who suggests a grammatical paradigm. 6. α, perhaps θ. 27. μετέβαλε intrans. 31. τὸ γῆρας is expected, but it is not certain that anything followed το. 32. Perhaps πρότερος. 33. Or προενδε.

Col. ii.

- ὅτι (ἐστὶ) τὸ ἦπαρ  
αἰαῖς //  
ἦτοι πολὺ καθέλ-  
10 κει ἦ τ(ῆν) πολὺ μακ(ρὴν)  
ἐδίδαξαν αἰ α. τ<sup>α</sup>  
οὐκ ἐδίδ(αξεν) ἦ μεγάλη(η)  
λέγει ὅτι γλυκ(ὺς) ὁ Μίμ(νερμος)  
ᾧδε ὄντως ἦδὺ ἐν το(ῖς) μικ(ροῖς)  
15 ἔλλατε βασκ(ανίης) κἄν  
μηδὲν γ(ὰρ) δυνη(θῶσι)  
ποσῶς βλάπτουσι  
οὐκ ἔχω τὰ μακρά  
ὥσπερ οὐδ(ἐ) τὰ(ς) βρογ(άς)  
20 οἱ δ(ἐ) μέγα ψοφέο(υσαν)  
κραυγάνο(νται) κ(αὶ) ἐκλ..  
ὥς κ(αὶ) ὄνο(ς) σ(υμ)βαλλ(όμενος) τέττιγ(ι)  
Λύκιο(ς) ἐπεὶ ξένο(ις) ἦδ(ε)ται  
(ἐστὶ) δ' ἄλλ(ως) κ(αὶ) μαντ(εῖον) ἐν Λυκ(ία)  
25 ὁ δ' Ἀριστο(φάνης?) ἐπεὶ Λητ(ῶ)  
τίκτο(υσα) εἰς λῦκο(ν)  
35 τὰ δὲ καυ.[.]...  
ἀναγν.( )  
δὲ σφα..( ) κ(αὶ)...  
χειρὸς π....  
πελιασ.... αἰς  
40 ἐπεὶ κερ. νο( ).. λεις  
κοτο( ) τὸν Ἐγκέλ(αδον?)  
δεκάς .. οξ. ελυσ  
πάλοιν... τηρ  
παιδ( ) πα.. οκ. τ.( )  
45 ἦ Ἀρσιν(όη) δυν...  
ἦν ἄνω(θεν?) ἦ ὅτι δ(ε)κάτη(ν)  
μοῦσαν ἐκδ(ε)....( )  
λιγεία τοῖον γ(ὰρ) ὑ[π]ώ-  
ρορε μοῦσα λιγεία  
50 κ(αὶ) Ἀλκ(μάν)  
μῶσ' ἄγε μῶσ' ἄγε  
λιγ(ε)ῖα  
Ἀρκαδ( ) πεμπ( ) ἐπεὶ οἱ  
Πελοπον(ήσιοι) ὠνούμ(εν)οι

7. Some distance above the top of this column, and apparently unconnected with it, is something like ετρ., written very small. It has probably no reference to the main text. If οτι is right, ll. 7-8 may refer to something washed out in col. i or to the mysterious αἰαῖν. 10. κ very doubtful. 11. The supposed α of the addition may be λ and belong to the word on the line. 21. λ, ρ less likely. The last letter looks like γ. 23. κ corr. from θ. 26. λ, more like γ but the context confirms λύκον. 35. καύμ[ατα?], Housman. 36. A short line; it is not certain whether anything followed ἀναγν. 39. A reference to the attempted rejuvenation of Pelias? If so, perhaps δὲ σφαγ.( ) in l. 37. But there is nothing similar in Callimachus apparently. 42 ff. The general sense is probably, as Hunt points out, that Arsinoe was the tenth child or was called the tenth Muse (in explanation of δέκα or δέκας or δεκάτη in the text), but the individual readings are very difficult. In l. 43 f. it does not seem possible to read Σωτήρ(ος) παιδ(ῶν) or Σωτήρ ἔσχε παῖδ(ας). θνγάτηρ is perhaps barely possible but not helpful. In l. 45 δυνώδεκα is suggested, but the letter following ω is more like λ. If ἄνω(θεν) in l. 46 is right, ω was probably a correction from θ, which the character most resembles. 47. Cr. suggests ἐκδ(ε)χοντ(αι). 48 f. *Od.* xxiv. 62. 51 f. Alcman, fr. 1 (Bergk). ἄγε appears to be wrongly repeated.

## Col. iii.

55 τοὺς Ἀρκαδ(ικοὺς) ὄνους ἀνέ-  
 τεινον ἵνα δύνω(νται) ταῖς  
 παρ' αὐτοῖς τροφ(αῖς) χρᾶσθ(αι) οἱ δὲ  
 ἀνάπαλ(ιν) ὥς ἐνὶ δῇ  
 πατρίο(ις) οὗτοι ὥς ἐν δη-  
 60 μοκρατία ἐξουσία γ(άρ) (ἐστι)  
 πολλῶ(ν) ἄλλο καλὸ(ν) ἀντ(ὶ τοῦ)  
 ἄλλο(ν) διώκ(ειν) ὄρνεο(ν) ἄλλο

55. For Arcadian asses Crönert refers to Plautus, *Asinaria* 333 and Varro, *R. R.* ii. 6, 2. Other examples in *Thesaurus Ling. Lat.* ii. 792, 24. 62 Cf. *Il.* xiii. 64 and scholia A and B.

## 182. TRYPHON.

Inv. No. 126. Third to fourth century. Acquired in 1888. Three columns of 48, 45, and 28 lines, the last with subscription. Written across the fibres on the verso of the last three leaves (reversed, sheets 1-3) of the Harris codex of the *Iliad* (No. 5). Semi-cursive hand of moderate size. No accents or breathings; punctuation by occasional dots on the line of writing. The words are generally separated from each other. Grammatical forms quoted are usually marked by a line drawn above them. *Classical Texts*, pp. 109-116, with plate; Haeberlin 125; Oldfather 1120.

Τέχνη γραμματική (summary).

## 183. PHRYNICHUS (?).

Inv. No. 885. Second century (?). Acquired in 1901. Six fragments, the largest 19.4 cm. × 9.5 cm., with parts of at least 6 columns. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized semi-cursive hand. Punctuation by paragraphus (shaped >) and space in the line. Subject and style suggest Phrynichus, as Crönert points out, but the type of hand hardly suits so late a date as must be postulated for the diffusion of P.'s work. The author may then have been some earlier writer on Attic usage (although he quotes Homer) from whom P. borrowed wholesale in the manner of antiquity. The order appears to be roughly alphabetical. Homer is quoted several times, Euripides once, and Menander once (a new fragment from the *Κεκρύφαλος*). Oldfather 779.

Περὶ ὀνομάτων καὶ ῥημάτων Ἀττικῶν (?).

Col. i.

Fr. 1.

Col. ii.

|    |                           |    |                                         |
|----|---------------------------|----|-----------------------------------------|
|    |                           |    | ]. . . [                                |
|    |                           |    | . ας παλάμ[η]ν [παλαστήν ἐρείς ὄ-]      |
|    |                           |    | ταν μέντοι γε [τὸν ἀθλητὴν ση-]         |
|    | ]. . .                    | 35 | μαίνωμεν τ[ὸ]ν [π]α[λαίοντα]            |
|    | ]. . τι                   |    | τ[ό]τε σ[ὺ]ν τῷ [ἱ] παλαιστῆν ἐ-        |
|    | νι                        |    | ρείς τοῦτ[ο]ν· καὶ γὰρ παλα[ίω σὺν]     |
|    | νιο                       |    | τῷ ἱ καὶ πεπάλα[ικα λέγομεν· οὐ-]       |
| 5  | γα                        |    | τω οὖν τὸ μὲν τῆς ἀ[γορᾶς μέτρον]       |
|    | ]. . .                    | 40 | τεσσάρων δακτύλων τὸ δὲ ὄνο-            |
|    | η                         |    | μα τοῦ παλαίουτος· π[έ]πον-]            |
|    | ]                         |    | θα ἐρείς οὐχ ὥς ἔνιοι πέπο[σχα·]        |
|    | μᾶσσε . . . [ . . . ] . . |    | πάθ[ο]ς γὰρ τοῦ λ[ . . . ] . . [πέπον-] |
| 10 | ειδες . . . απισ          |    | θεν . [ . ] παθ[                        |
|    | ον . . . . απιο           | 45 | . [                                     |
|    | ]. . ην . . . . λε[       |    | [                                       |
|    | οντ . . . φερε            |    | [ . ]ενος [                             |
|    | συν]τακτικαὶ πραγ-        |    | πάνδεινά το[ι πέπονθα                   |
| 15 | συντ]ελικοῦ τὸν μὲν       |    | [ . . . ]τινα τ[                        |
|    | συντελ]ικὸν ἐφαρμόξει     | 50 | ται[ . . . ] πολλ[                      |
|    | ] συντελικοῖς             |    | ἐν Βάκχαις πέπ[ονθα δεινὰ]              |
|    | ον ἐστὶ πρὸς τὰ           |    | διαπέφευγε δ' [ὁ ξένος καὶ Ὁ-?]         |
|    | ] . . . ρε . ερ σπα       |    | μηρος πεπο[ν]θ                          |
| 20 | ] . ον ἐφῆρμο-            |    | πάντων . [                              |
|    | [σται [ ] συντελικὸν      | 55 | τῆς ἀνα[ πέπον-]                        |
|    | μέ]ντοι γε                |    | θα απολ[                                |
|    | ] . . . . ες              |    | παθων [                                 |
|    | ] οὐκ ἐστν .              |    | μα[                                     |

16. Cf. *Phryn.* p. 420. 33. Not *ρας*. 34-42. Suppl. mainly by Cr. who compares *Phrynichus*, p. 356 (Rutherford): παλαστή τὸ μέτρον καὶ θηλυκῶς λέγεται καὶ ἀνευ τοῦ ἱ ἀμαθεῖς δ' οἱ λέγοντες σὺν τῷ ἱ καὶ σὺν τῷ σ, παλαιστής, ὁμωνύμως τῷ ἀθλητῇ· ὁ μέντοι ἀθλητὴς παλαιστής ἀρσενικῶς καλεῖται. This may well be an epitome of the above text. 42. ρ, or α. Cf. *Et. Mag.* 661<sup>12</sup>. 43. λ, μ or ν. 48. Probably from Menander who first of the poets uses πάνδεινος: Cr. 51. *Bacchae* 642. MSS. διαπέφευγέ μ' ὁ ξένος. μ just possible but less likely.

- 25 ]εινετο μοι . . . [  
       ]α . σε . η 60 [  
       ] . . . ετο . ρ[  
       ]σου ὡστ[ . . . . . ] . [ '  
       ]αρα θα α[ . . . . . ] . [  
 30 ]μα τον[ . . . . . ] . [  
       ] . 65 <sup>></sup>τῇν τούτου γο[ . . ] . . [ . ] as

Fr. 2.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

- . . . .  
       ] . [  
       ] . [  
 2 lines lost  
 70 βα]ρβαρ[ 85 νεῖσθα[ι] οἶον π[ ιπ-]  
       ]δε τῶν τόνων πόκομος τρυφ[άλεια μιάν-]  
       ] . σχηματιζε- θησαν δὲ ἔθειραι ὕ[  
       ]. ο . [ . ] ὀφλῶν με- μενος ἐν τούτ[οι]ς π[  
       ]να γὰρ σχη- καιπνομονων . . . ον[  
 75 ] . φ . . . 90 ἐπιμελείας ἀξιοῦμ[εν  
       ]ποτης τικον προιον . . κος δ[  
       ]α σα ἐν βροτοτι . . ν . . [  
       ]κηι φι μασειν ειπε τικ[  
       ] . . . ἡμῶν ἐπιμελ[  
 80 ] . . . 95 κοκα πᾶς καὶ α[

70. Cf. *Phryn.* p. 206: ἔνδον εἰσέρχομαι βάρβαρον (Cr.). 85-87. *Iliad* xvi. 795.  
 MSS. ἀλῶπις. ἱππόκομος is taken from l. 797. For accent cf. *Et. Mag.* 475<sup>1</sup>.

Frs. 3+6.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

- . . . .  
       ]ναρε Fr. 6. ]χερι  
       ] . ]υτο[  
       ] . 105 ]ρα τοῦ ερ[  
       ] . . Αἴα]ς ἐστὶ πελώρ[ιος  
 106. *Iliad* iii. 229.

100 ]μεν ] . . ολ . . νασερι[  
 ]δει [οὔτος μὲ]ν δὴ ἄεθλος ἄάα-  
 ]τοι [τος ἐκτετέλεσ]ται οὐδὲ ἵππιο[s]  
 110 ? μετα]φορικῶς οὐελ . . .  
 ]τοσικαστ . . [ οί . [

102. There may be missing lines between 102-103, and it is not certain even if the frs. belong together. 108. *Od.* xxii. 5. Quoted in *Et. Mag.* 19<sup>28</sup> sub ἀεθλον.

Fr. 4.

Fr. 5.

]ιμιαν χ[ ] Μέναν-  
 ] . σικαιτ[ [δρος ἐν Κεκρυ]φάλωι· παρέσει  
 115 ]υσιτο[ [ . . . . . ] ἐγὼ παραλήψομ[αι]  
 . . . . . [ . . . . . ]κου· οὐ δύνα-  
 120 [μαι τοῦτο ποιῆσαι ἐν [τ]ῳ̃ α̃ ἐροῦ-  
 [μεν οὐχ ὥς ἔ]νιοι δύνομαι· τὸ γο[ῶν]  
 [ . . . . . δύ]νασαι ἰσοσυλλαβεῖν  
 [ . . . . . τ]οῦ̃ α̃ ἐκφερομέ[νου]  
 [ . . . . . ]ι δύνασαι [ .  
 125 τ]όδε τοῦ ἐν[  
 ] . [

116, 117. Suppl. by Crönert. γ enlarged at end of line. 117. MS. εσει-, hyphen or line-filling sign? 119. Cf. *Phryn.* p. 463. α enlarged at end of line? 121. For forms of δύνομαι see Moulton and Milligan, *Vocabulary of the Greek Testament*, p. 171. τὸ γό[υν] Cr.: τοσο[ύ] poss.

184. PALAEMON (?).

Plate XI.

Inv. No. 2723 (verso). Second century. (On the recto is a fragment of a Latin military register with consular dates, those legible extending from A. D. 143 (?) to A. D. 153.) Acquired in 1925. From Karanis (another fragment was found by the American expedition 1925-1926). 18 cm. x 17.3 cm. Written across the fibres in rustic capitals. The lines vary in length to the right. A contraction mark appears to occur in l. 16, and one perhaps must be postulated in l. 13. Final nt in l. 16 is written  $\overline{N}$ . There is no punctuation. The mention of the interjection among the parts of speech perhaps points to the authorship of Q. Remmius

Palaemon, the introducer of this classification according to Quintilian his contemporary (*Inst. Or.* i. 4. 20). In any case we are here in the main stream of the later tradition, and striking parallels are quoted in the notes from subsequent grammarians who have pillaged either the present work or its prototype. For a comparative survey of authors' methods see L. Jeep, *Zur Geschichte der Lehre von den Redetheilen bei den Lateinischen Grammatikern*, 1893.

*Ars Grammatica.*

| Col. i.                           | Col. ii.                      |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| [. . .]coqu[.]o[.] . [            | [. . .] nom[en pronomen]      |
| [. .] illud quod nihîl [          | ue[r]bum [p]a[rticipium]      |
| [. .]at declinat[i]one[m]         | 20 [ad]uerbium con[iunc-]     |
| [.] . to ergo ita definit[        | tio prae[po]s[i]tio [inter-]  |
| 5 [uel]ut diceretur dictio o-     | iectio. nomen e[st] uel-      |
| [ris] uox figuram habens          | ut notamen quo u[nam]         |
| [sign]ificantium uocum ;          | quamque rem [uo]cab[ulo]      |
| [na]m [e]iusmodi uox potest       | 25 notantes [c]ognos[cimus] ; |
| [di]ci, intellegi non po-         | est enim uelut not[a quae-]   |
| 10 [test] ; itaque ea dictio quae | dam rei nam [t]um d[um]       |
| [ha]bet significationem           | libet etiam si prae[sen-]     |
| [in]tellectumque oratio.          | tem non in[ue]neris [uo-]     |
| [. . a]utem oratio quasi o-       | 30 cabuli huius mater[iam]    |
| [ris] ratio cuius partes          | tamen a uo[ce] hac n[omi-]    |
| 15 [qu]idam grammatici            | ni[us] nota protinus [spe-]   |
| [u]sq[ue] multiplicauerunt        | cies rei in hac re t[er-]     |
| ut turba praeceptorum             | mo huius autem fin[i]         |

1. For the different ways of beginning a grammar see Jeep, p. 103. The present fragment opens in the definition of dictio or perhaps of vox. 4. Perhaps esto . . . definitiva. 6. Cf. Marius Victorinus (Keil vi. 5) : dictio est figura significantium uocum, oratio est dictio significans, &c. 9. Sc. quae? 12. Sc. est. 13. Supply d' = d(icitur)? or est (Hunt). Cf. Diomedes (Keil i. 300) : oratio autem videtur dicta quasi oris ratio, and see Jeep, p. 122. 15. Similar statements are made by other grammarians. See Jeep, p. 122. 18-22. The parts of speech are over-lined. 22. Cf. Charisius (Keil i. 533) : nomen dicitur quod unam quamque rem notat quasi notamen sublata media syllaba per syncopen. 24. Some grammarians distinguished between nomen and vocabulum. 31. A puzzling line, perhaps corrupt. Vo[ce] may be a mistake for voce by anticipation of the next word. N in each case might be a. 32. Nota, noun or adjective? 33. Species, 'image' perhaps rather than the technical sense of 'qualitas', although in the next line fin[is] rather favours the latter.

## 185. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1184 (recto). First to second century. (On the verso is No. 178.) Acquired in 1903. Height of roll 16.6 cm. Remains of fourteen columns. Width of column 7 cm. Top margin 5 cm. Sixteen to twenty letters in the line. Only the upper part of the columns (about twenty lines) is preserved as the roll was cut down before being used on the verso. Written along the fibres. Round well-formed uncial hand of good size. Paragraphi and perhaps the single rough breathing are original; the profuse high stops and the solitary accent are by the corrector. Quotations often stop in the middle of the line. The angular sign is sometimes used to fill up the end of the line. The work is addressed to a friend. P. Oxy. ii. 220, with plate; *Archiv* i, p. 532 f.; Oldfather 351. See Leo, 'Ein metrisches Fragment aus Oxyrhynchus' in *Gött. Nachr.* 1899, pp. 495-507.

Handbook on Metre.

## 186. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1823 (verso). Third century B.C. Acquired in 1909. Written across the fibres in two columns widely apart on the verso of No. 91. Glosses, partly at least Homeric, as in P. Ryl. i. 16 (a) from the same papyrus, but the second column seems to be largely a repetition of the non-Homeric word *ὀθνεῖα* in various cases. P. Hib. 5 intr.

Glosses, partly Homeric.

## 187. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 481. Fourth century. Acquired in 1894. 19 cm. x 10 cm. Fragment written on both sides. Portion of a double column on the recto with faint traces of a second column, portion of another double column on the verso (reversed). Rough cursive hand on coarse papyrus, the Latin words also in Greek script. Published in P. Lond. ii, p. 321 f.

Latin-Greek glossary.

1. φακ γνοβες μανδα[τα?], the δ apparently corrected from ν: fac nobis mandata.  
 2. περιστερια. 13. καρ(ι)κας: so Crönert in *Cl. Rev.* xvii (1903), p. 198. 15. ονα πασσα: σταφιδ[ες]. 25. λουπηνους: θερμ[οι]. 32. σκορδα. 36. ουντε βενιστε = unde venisti.

## 188. DIOSCORUS OF APHRODITOPOLIS.

Inv. No. 1727 (verso) = P. Lond. v. 1821. Circa A.D. 570-575. (On the recto is P. Lond. 1674, a petition to a Duke of the Thebaid probably written about 570.) Acquired in 1906. 1 m. 21.5 cm. x 31 cm. Four columns (one short column inserted later between cols. ii and iii), written along the fibres in ink of a reddish-brown tint; sloping uncial hand of fair size; some later additions, partly in the same ink, partly in black ink with a finer pen. The Greek and Coptic words are normally separated by double dots. The *ι* has the diaeresis, and there are one or two accents. Edited by W. E. Crum and H. I. Bell, 'A Greek-Coptic Glossary', in *Aegyptus*, vi, pp. 177-226. See too review by Crönert in *Gnomon*, ii (1926), pp. 653-666.

Greek-Coptic glossary.

## 7. LAW

## 189. CODEX THEODOSIANUS.

Inv. No. 2485. Early sixth century. Acquired in 1922. 18.1 cm. x 9.1 cm. Upper part of a leaf from a vellum codex. Upper margin 6.3 cm. Twenty-three lines (originally thirty-one) on each side but none complete at either end. Fine medium-sized uncial hand. Double dots mark off the addresses and dates of the rescripts from their texts. Abbreviations and numerals are usually accompanied by a medial dot; a horizontal line is placed above numerals and above p(raefectus) p(raetorio) in the one place where it occurs. The text is close to that of the approximately contemporary Paris MS. 9643 (R). P. Oxy. xv. 1813, with plate.

Cod. Theod. vii.

## 8. FICTION

## 190. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 592. Early third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. Thirteen small fragments (largest 8.5 cm. x 6 cm.). Written along the fibres. Small firm uncial hand of early type (epigraphic E and Ω). Several instances of the paragraphus occur and also of a dash in the middle of the line. P. Petr. ii. 49 (f); Haeberlin 113; Oldfather 1017.

Adventures of Heracles in Arcadia.

## 191. ALCIDAMAS (?).

Inv. No. 500. Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 14.3 cm. × 10 cm. Parts of two columns. Written along the fibres. Plain medium-sized uncial hand. Speakers indicated by paragraphus, stops by spaces. P. Petr. i. 25 (1), with plate. Improved text by Wilamowitz-Moellendorff in *Vitae Homeri et Hesiodi* (*Kl. Texte*, no. 137), p. 45 f. Collated by Rzach in the Teubner Hesiod. Haeblerlin 84; Oldfather 19. The attribution to Alcidas is supported by a new fragment probably of the same work with the subscription [Ἀλκι]δάμαντος περὶ Ὀμήρου (P. Mich. 2754), published by J. G. Winter in *Trans. and Proc. Am. Philolog. Ass.* lvi (1925), pp. 120-129.

*Mouseion?* (Contest of Homer and Hesiod).

4. προε, Mahaffy rightly. 6, 7. ἐρω-[τῆσαι τὸν Ὀμηρον οὐτ]ως. 11, 12. ἀ]ποκρί-  
[νασθαι τοῦτον τὸν τρό]πον? 25. θυ δ' ἐκ [κρ]ητῆρ[ος].

## 192. UNKNOWN.

Plate XII.

Inv. No. 274. Third century. Acquired in 1893. Nine fragments, the largest 22.5 cm. × 16 cm. Remains of at least ten columns. Originally of an unusual height, probably about 38 cm., with a total of at least 77 lines to the column. Width of column 7 cm., space between columns 1 cm. Written along the fibres. Small regular uncial hand. Paragraphus and double dots mark the dialogue; high and middle stops and an occasional circumflex accent are employed. Published by R. Reitzenstein as *Die griechische Tefnutlegende* in *Sitzb. Heidel. Ak.* 1923. The Demotic form of the myth with German translation was published from a Leyden papyrus in 1917 by W. Spiegelberg with the title *Der ägyptische Mythos vom Sonnenauge*. Cf. also Reitzenstein, *Die Göttin Psyche* (*Sitzb. Heidel. Ak.* 1917), p. 107 f. Haeblerlin 136; Oldfather 1037.

Story of Tefnut.

Col. iii. 45 στολ[ι]ζωσιν, 61 εφ[η];; col. iv. bef. 75 εν τοις ιδιοις χωριοις καθ[ ] omitted in Reitzenstein; col. v. 65 κο[ ]γορτο[ ]; col. vii. 10 εις τ[ο] ελ[ ]αχ[ ]στον, 53 ει[ ]πε: δια [τι; col. vii b. 47 [ι]λαρω; col. x. 80 ηλ[ ]ος. Fr. A fits into col. iv. 58-63 which now read ε . [ . . . ] ογω[ ] . ] απο[ ] | ται . εκ . . . ρου ετ[ ] | ηι δε ο Ερμης: δε[ ]σποτι | σεαυτης κεκρισαι [ ] | παντα προενηνεγμ[ ] ενα | δης οτι . . . ονταπα . [ ] Fr. B 15 δ[ ] ε Ακοη α . [ ]

## 193. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 2239 (verso, reversed). Second century. (On the recto is a register of taxes.) Acquired in 1920. Two fragments (34.5 cm. x 14.3 cm., 32 cm. x 13.4 cm.), containing two columns fairly complete with small portions of two more. Written across the fibres on coarse papyrus. Rough unformed uncial hand full of unintelligent mistakes. No stops, but occasional breathings (unless these signs are merely parts of ill-shapen letters). Two quite disparate subjects seem to compose the text. In fr. 1 *αἰδώς* is praised with illustrations from Homer and Hesiod. Half-way down col. 2 is a large coronis followed by the letter *α* standing alone, and apparently introducing a new subject. This suggests an alphabetical arrangement. The second fragment is occupied with the account of a bird, apparently the Phoenix, though *σαρκοφάγος* and *φιλόνικος* (ll. 89, 90) form a difficulty. Crönert identifies the author as an Atticising sophist and the work as *διαλέξεις* such as Maximus Tyrius writes and Philostratus mentions in his *Vitae*. The use of the second person l. 21 belongs to the diatribe style.

Διαλέξεις σοφιστικάι.

Fr. 1.

Col. i.

Col. ii.

. . . . .]. τὴν τῶν καλῶν μητέ-  
[ρα]. φ[.]. νω αἰδούμενος η  
. αφ[.]. ἀλμη πρότερον >  
καὶ ἐπιφανέστατον τῶν  
5 ἐν ἀνθρώποις μελῶν ὀφθαλ-  
μός· ἐν τούτοις γὰρ οἰκῇ  
αὐτῇ ἢ θεός· πολλὰ μὲν οὖν  
Ὅμηρου θαυμάσα(ς) τ[ο]ῦτ[ο] ἔ-  
τι μᾶλλον προσέ[μαι]  
10 [θ]αυμάζιν [εἰ] τι καὶ σφ[τήριον]  
[π]αρέχι αἰδώς· αἰδομένων  
[δ'] ἀνδ(ρ)ῶν π' ἄλκονες σόοι ἢ ἐφέ-  
φανται· ὧ καλλ[λ]ίστου κτή-  
ματος ὃ ἔχων τις δύναται

. [ . . . . . ]. [ .  
στα[. . .] . . σπ[ αἰ-]  
δούμενος κ[  
μέλος καταπ[  
40 ἀριθμὸν ἀδ[  
χορηγὸν αἰδ[  
. οὔται ια[  
τρα[  
υν[  
45 ιν[  
χυ[  
ραι[  
κα[  
[

1. *μητε*, though in the same hand, occupies the whole margin and was perhaps inserted later. 3. *αἰ*, so MS. 1. *λαμπρότατον*? Apparently a stopgap sign at the end. 5. 1. *ὀφθαλμός*? Cf. Aristotle quoted by Athenaeus xiii. 564: τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς ἐν οἷς τὴν αἰδῶ κατοικεῖν. 7. MS οὖν. 10. σφ, π. possible. 11, 12. *Il.* v. 531, xv. 563. 12, 13. 1. *πέφανται*.

15 καὶ κ[ι]νδύνου(ς) φυγῖν καὶ  
 πολ[ε]μ[ί]ου μεταστρέφαι τῇ(ν)  
 ἔχ(θ)ραν καὶ [ότι] ἂν πάσχη  
 αἰδοσ[τι]ς [. . . . .]οσ .  
 ἡ καὶ πατρὶ προσφ[ι]λῆς καὶ  
 20 διδασκάλ[λ]ω προσφιλῆς  
 καὶ λετερωσ εἰμὶ ὥς ὁράς·  
 τὸν Ἰθακήσιον δημηρο-  
 ρον εἰς τεροῦτο προήγαγεν  
 ἢ αἰδῶς ὥστε καὶ π[ομ]πῆς  
 25 τυχῖν καὶ τὴν πατ[ρί]δα [  
 ἡδῆτ[ο] γὰρ γυμνοῦσθ[αι] κού-]  
 ρησιν ἐϋπλοκάμοισ[ι] μετελ-]  
 [θ]ῶν· τὸν δὲ Ἀσκραῖον [σο-]  
 φον τὸν Ἑλικώνιον πο[ιμέ]-  
 30 να εἰν μετὰ φρονήσ[εως] δά-]  
 φνην ἔχοι Μουσῶν [χόρω ἐγ-]  
 καταλέξαι βούλομαι [αἰδῶς]  
 ἦ τ' ἄνδρας μέγα σί[νεται]  
 ἦδ' ὁν(ί)νῃσιν οὔσιν . [  
 35 νον δεον . π . . . ]

50 τ[  
 π[  
 [  
 [  
 ε  
 π  
 π  
 π  
 α

16. MS. τῇ. 22. l. δημηγόρον? 23. l. τοιοῦτο? 26-28. *Od.* vi. 222. 28.  
 Suppl. Cr. l. [Ὀμη-]ρον? 31. Cf. *Theogony* 30. l. ἔχῃ. Suppl. Cr. 32-34. *Works*  
*and Days* 318.

## Fr. 2.

Col. iii.

Col. iv.

|     |           |                              |
|-----|-----------|------------------------------|
|     | ]τας      | οὐκ ἔστιν αὐτῶν τὸ σχῆ-      |
| 55  | ]νο(ν)    | μα χρὴ λογίζεσθαι ὅτι        |
|     | τ]δὲ σχῆ- | [τ]οῖς μὲν μουσικῇν          |
| [μα | ]α τῇ(ν)  | τῶν ὀρνίθων ἔδωκε(ν)         |
|     | ]λυ-      | 65 ὁ θεὸς τοῖς δὲ μαντικῇ(ν) |
|     | ]φρο-     | τοῖς δὲ ἄλλο τι τοῖς δὲ      |
| 60  | ]ου       | ποικίλην πτέρωσιν ὥς         |
|     |           | καὶ τῷδε τῷ ὀρνιθι· ἀλλὰ     |
|     |           | μῆν οὐδὲ ἀπηνῆς αὐτῷ(ν)      |

55. MS. νῶ. 57. MS τῇ. 64. MS. ἐδωκε. 65. MS. μαντικῇ. 69 MS. αὐτῶ.

- 70 [κ]αὶ τραχὺ τ[ὸ φθ]έγ[γ]μα ἴει  
 [δι]αφό[ρ]ον δ[ὲ τ]ὸ δῆσμα . .  
 [ . . ] σεπ . ασαντι[.]ῃ εἰκόσ  
 [οὔτ]ος δ[ὲ] καὶ εὐφήμδον ἀφί[ει]  
 [τ]ὸ δῆσμα αἰώνιον ἔοικε(ν)  
 75 [ῆ] παρ[α]πλήσιον ἔχειν  
 [τ]ῷ κ[ό]σμῳ, βλέπεται  
 [δ' ἀ]έρι[ο]ν καὶ χρυσαυγές  
 [π]ον καὶ ἀερῶδες κατὰ  
 [τ]ῇν π[τ]έρωσιν ὑπάρχει  
 80 [ . ]ροσ προσεοικὸς θα-  
 [λά(σ)]ση, ἣ δὲ κόμη σειπῇ  
 [ἀ]έρων ἀνέμου καται-  
 [γι]ζόντος ἥχον ἀπο-  
 [ . ] . ῶσαι προῖσιν δὲ  
 85 [ῶσ]πε[ρ] ἔξανδρού-  
 [μενο]ς οἶ[ο]ς πλούσι[ο]ς ἀ-  
 [ . . ]αλλωσοφο[ . . ] .  
 ἱρηνες ὄρ . [ ἀλλὰ]  
 γὰρ σαρκοφά[γος καὶ]  
 90 φιλόνι[κ]ος [

Traces of at least 4 more lines. 1. 93 ] . ορ.

71. The characters at the end are confused; there has perhaps been a correction.  
 74. MS. εοικῇ. 74-77. For the relation of the Phoenix to the magnus annus cf. Pliny, *Nat. Hist.* x. 5. 81. σειπῇ: εοικῇ? 85, 86. Suppl. Cr. 86. [μενο] too long, unless it projected into the margin. 88. Cr. suggests an iambic quotation <ε>ἱρην ἐς ὄρ[νιν] reading Σοφο[κλ] in 87. ὁ, so MS.

## 9. MISCELLANEOUS AND UNCERTAIN

194.

Inv. No. 1847 A. Fourth century. Acquired in 1886 (numbered in 1910). 13.5 cm. x 4.5 cm. Vellum strip from the top of a leaf. Side of column marked by ruled line. Round, rather small, uncial hand. Letters at the end of the line are sometimes very small. The transparency of the vellum makes the verso readings uncertain.

Romance of the Roman period?

| Recto.                 |    | Verso.            |
|------------------------|----|-------------------|
| ὀρῶντε[ς               |    | ]ς τοσοῦτο(ν)     |
| Δία μηδαμί[ως ἄλ-]     |    | ] . σιν ἐπεὶ      |
| λα ἐν τῷ[              |    | ]ν ἐξανιστα-      |
| μένοντ[ες              | 30 | τοῦ] συμποσίου    |
| 5 ἀνέρχου[ται          |    | ] . χεῖσως        |
| μηδὲ τῷ[               |    | ] . . . . . ὑμε   |
| καὶ προέ[λθόντες       |    | ]εινον γὰν        |
| εἰς τὸ βαλ[ανείον ἱ-]  |    | ] . . . . . να    |
| οντες ἐπ[ θύρ-]        | 35 | ]στορε . ε . ο    |
| 10 ρας συνκ[εκλειμένας |    | ] σφόδρα γε-      |
| προσβα[λλ              |    | ]ν δεσποσ-        |
| τινι τῇς [             |    | ]δοια καὶ ατ-     |
| ματα ἐσκα[             |    | ]ου ἑαλωκῶς       |
| δον καγὼν [            | 40 | ]νεῖχεν ἐπε-      |
| 15 τε τοῦδε τ[         |    | ]ετακασταμο(ν)    |
| εἰδὼς ηρ[              |    | κ]ελεύει με       |
| ἐλθὼν ὁ . [            |    | ἔπε]σθαι εἰς τὸ   |
| πρῶτα εἰ[              |    | ] συμπόσιο(ν)     |
| τες ἀριστα[            | 45 | ]ραν . . . . . οἱ |
| 20 εἶτα δὲ το[ῦς ἄλ-]  |    | συ]νάγει πέν-     |
| λους ἐκάλ[εσα εἰς]     |    | ]εροπ . . τος     |
| τὴν ἐμῇ[ν οἰκίαν       |    | ] . νος . δον     |
| τε . ὥσπ[ερ            |    | ] . . . . .       |
| τε . [ . ]ιοδ . [      | 50 | ]αλ . . . . .     |
| 25 . [ . . . ]ικο . [  |    | ]φε . . . . .     |
| . . . . .] . . . [     |    | ] . .             |

27. MS. τοσοντο. 37. MS. σ, or ι. 38. τ, or ι. 41. MS. μδ. Κάσταμον Cr.  
44. MS. συμποσιδ.

195.

Inv. No. 1862 B. First century B.C. Numbered in 1911. 6 cm. x 3.2 cm.  
Parts of ten lines from the foot of a column. Written along the fibres. On the  
verso is part of a document. Informal uncial hand. Commentary on a poem?

M

]αῖτε δολίᾱς . [  
 ]τε λιπόντες πα[  
 ] . τορομον ἐχ[  
 ] . πον τὸν ἄνδ[ρα  
 5 ]νεοησταπου[  
 ]ενην μουσα[  
 ]εων αἰδεχλι[  
 ε]λείπετο δ[  
 ] . ιπον ᾗ κρυπτ[  
 10 ] . δη . . . . . [

1. δ changed from τ.

3. ]ἦτορ ὁμὸν ἐχ[ειν?

7. Or μοῖα ἀρα ἐχλι.

## 196.

Inv. No. 1862 C. Second century. Numbered in 1911. 7.7 cm. × 4.2 cm.  
 Part of seven lines from the foot of a column. Margin at foot 4 cm. Written  
 along the fibres. Round uncial hand, strongly resembling the first hand of the  
 Isocrates papyrus (No. 131). At the end of l. 4 is a sort of hyphen. Apparently  
 Ionic and perhaps medical. Crönert suggests an Attic oration.

] . ριν  
 ]ερ ὑμεῖς  
 ]θελήσετε  
 ]ξε καὶ διδασ-  
 5 [κ ]μημεαται  
 ]έομεν οὐδὲ  
 ]ντος δεχον-

6. δ]εομένου Cr.

7. δε χον[δρος? δέχον[ται?

## 197.

Inv. No. 1862 D. Second century. Numbered in 1911. Mere scrap.  
 2.4 cm. × 3 cm. Written along the fibres. Small uncial hand.

. . . .  
 ]ε[. . .]α[  
 ] Ἑλλησιν [  
 ] ταῖς τέχν[αις  
 κα]τ' ὀλίγον δ[  
 5 συμ]μεικτ[  
 ] . . . [

3. Before τ is another τ on a scrap perhaps wrongly joined.

### 198. PICTORIAL FRAGMENT.

Inv. No. 113 (15 c). Fifth to sixth century. Acquired in 1878. 10 cm. x 13 cm. Written across the fibres. Small sloping uncial hand. The letters are rather far apart. A high point occurs in l. 1, and a comma-like low point in l. 2. Beneath the text is a row of three figures against a background of columns. The figure on the left is bearded and holds a shield in front of the middle figure. The figure on the right holds aloft a dish in its right hand, and clasps perhaps a roll in its left. The picture is described and reproduced in 'Eine Alexandrinische Weltchronik', by A. Bauer and J. Strzygowski, pp. 176, 177 (*Denkschriften Wiener Ak.*, Phil.-Hist. Kl., li. 2, 1905). For a border design on a vellum strip without text see Inv. No. 2077 A.

Magical text or Romance?

. . . . .  
 ]λ . . . . . α· τὸ χρυσίον . . δ· ν· τηπε[  
 ] . . . . . ποιναν, ὑποκριτοῦ ἐν ἡ οἰδε[  
 . . . . . ρα ε . . . ιον[  
 ]τον ἐπ[.]λην ἀνθρακ[  
 5 δ] δὲ φιλόσοφος ἔχων τὰς πα[  
 ]τα πρὸς δειπνον[

2. δέσποιναν?

4. π and λ very uncertain.

## C. CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

### I. BIBLICAL

#### 199. GENESIS.

Inv. No. 2047. Late third century. Acquired in 1914. 5 cm. x 16.2 cm. Fragment of a vellum leaf with double columns originally containing about 33 lines, of which 7-10 per column are preserved. Original height of column about 16.5 cm. Medium-sized upright uncial hand. *θεός* is contracted in the usual way, but *ἄνθρωπος*, *πατήρ*, and *μήτηρ* are written in full. The so-called Tetragrammaton is represented by a remarkable abbreviation *ZZ*, a doubled Yod written in the shape of a Z with a horizontal stroke through the middle. The text has no pronounced affinities. P. Oxy. vii. 1007, with plate.

Gen. ii. 7-iii. 8.

#### 200. GENESIS.

Inv. No. 2052. Fourth century. Acquired in 1914. 17 cm. x 5.4 cm. Fragment of a vellum leaf in *Latin*, originally with double columns. Of the two remaining columns parts of 25 lines survive in each. Written in a reddish-brown ink. Well formed uncial hand. Text divided into rather short paragraphs, of which the first lines with enlarged initial letter protrude slightly into the left margin. Occasional medial points, which are also placed before and after numerals. When representing a figure *d* has the minuscule form. *dominus deus* appears as *dñs dñ* in l. 31. P. Oxy. viii. 1073, with plate.

Gen. v. 4-vi. 2 (Old Latin Version).

#### 201. GENESIS.

Inv. No. 2066. Third century. Acquired in 1914. Three fragments of a roll, the largest 12.9 cm. x 4.7 cm., containing part of one column. Written along the fibres. Large upright uncial hand of biblical type. A medial point followed by a short blank space is used for punctuation, and a rough breathing is once added. Several interesting readings occur. P. Oxy. ix. 1166, with plate.

Gen. xvi. 8-12.

## 202. GENESIS.

Inv. No. 2557. Circa A.D. 300. Acquired in 1924. 10 cm. x 13.3 cm. Lower part of a leaf of a papyrus codex originally of 16-17 lines to the page, of which 10 on one page and 9 on the other are preserved. Lower margin 2.5 cm. on one page, 3.7 cm. on the other. Medium-sized upright laterally compressed cursive hand of a type familiar in documents of the period of Diocletian. Punctuation by a middle point and a small space in the line. The *ι* has the diaeresis once. The text (collated with that of A. E. Brooke and N. McLean (Cambridge, 1906, &c.) seems to be good, but has no pronounced affinities. It shows several agreements with later cursives, and has one interesting variant not recorded by Brooke and McLean.

Gen. xlii. 27-32, xlvii. 2-5.

Verso.

xlvi. 27-28 [πεντε τον δε Ιουδαν απεστειλε[ν] εμπροσθεν αυτου [προς Ιω]  
[σηφ σ]υναντησαι αυτω καθ Ηρωων πολιν εις γην Ρ[αμεσση]  
29 [ζεξ]ας δε Ιωσηφ τα αρματα αυτου ανεβη εις συναντησι[ν]  
[Ισ]ρ[αη]λ τω πατρι αυτου καθ Ηρωων πολιν και οφθεις αυτω  
5 [ε]π[ε]σεν επι τον τραχηλον αυτου [κ]αι εκλαυσεν κλαυθμω  
30 [τιο]ν[ι] και ειπεν Ισραηλ προς Ιωσηφ αποθανουμα[ι] απο  
[το]ν νυν επει εορακα το προσωπον σου ετι γαρ συ ζης  
31 [ειπεν δε] Ιωσηφ προς τους αδελφους αυτου α[να]βας απαγ'  
[γελω τ]ω Φαραω και ερω αυτω οι αδελφοι μου και ο ο[ικος του]  
10 32 [πατρος μ]ου ηκασιν εκ γης Χανααν προ[ο]ς με οι αν[δρες εισιν]

Recto.

xlvi. 2-3 [Φαραω] και ειπεν Φαραω τοις αδελφοις Ι[ωσηφ] τι το εργον  
[υμων ο]ι δε ειπον τω Φαραω ποιμενες προβατων οι [παιδες σου]  
4 και ημεις και οι πατερες ημων ειπαν δε τω Φαραω πα[ροικειν]

1. αυτων A, αυτου DM cursives. 6. Probably a space (for punctuation) followed  
πιοι. 7. l. εωρακα. 10. πατρός μου, οἱ ἦσαν ἐν γῇ Χανάαν, ἤκασιν πρὸς μέ B. and  
McL., who record no such reading as in the text; δε om. after οι, as in lv. 11. α[ντου]  
(so acmxc<sub>2</sub> and Syro-Hexaplar) is equally possible. 12. ειπον: so also many cursives,  
ειπαν B. and McL.

15      ἐν τῇ γῇ ἠκαμεν· οὐ γὰρ ἐστὶν νομὴ τοῖς κτηνεσὶν τῶν [παιδῶν]  
          σου ἐνείσχυσεν γὰρ [ο λῖ]μος ἐν γῇ Χανααν νυν οὖν κατο[κῆσο]  
 5      μὲν οἱ παῖδες σου ἐν γῇ [Γ]έσεμ εἶπεν δὲ Φαραὼ τῷ Ἰωσ[ηφ]  
          κατοικεῖτωσαν ἐν γῇ [Γ]έσεμ εἰ δὲ ἐπιστῇ ὅτι εἶδιν ἐν αὐτ[οῖς]  
          ἀνδρες δυνατοὶ καταστήσουσιν αὐτοὺς ἀρχοντας τῶν ἐμῶν  
          [κτηνῶν] ἦλθαν δὲ εἰς Αἰγύπτου πρὸς Ἰωσήφ Ἰακ[ωβ καὶ]

15. l. ἐνείσχυσεν.      16. οἱ παῖδες σου: so too ADM cursives, &c., om. B. and McL.  
 19. ἦλθαν: so m, ἦλθον B. and McL.

## 203. EXODUS.

Inv. No. 2053 (recto). Third century. Acquired in 1914. 15.1 cm. x 9.8 cm.  
 Fragment of a roll, containing 23 lines with title subscribed. (On the verso is  
 No. 219.) Written along the fibres. Sloping uncial hand of medium size.  
 Κύριος is abbreviated in the usual way, but not υἱοί (l. 15) or Ἰσραήλ (ll. 15, 21).  
 The text is of mixed type; a new variant (ἐπ[ε]σκίασε γὰρ) occurs in l. 10. P. Oxy.  
 viii. 1075, with plate.

Exod. xl. 26-end.

## 204. PSALMS.

Inv. No. 2556. Third century. Acquired in 1924. Said to be from Darb el  
 Gerza (Philadelphia). 7.3 cm. x 5.6 cm. Leaf, slightly imperfect on one side, of  
 a small papyrus codex, of 12 lines to the page. Upper margin 1 cm., lower  
 1.5 cm. Small neat, but not very regular, uncial hand, with no trace of the  
 biblical tradition, though the usual contractions of the *nomina sacra* occur;  
 probably the earliest fragment of the Greek Psalter yet discovered, with the  
 possible exception of a fragment in the Museum of Alexandria recently pub-  
 lished by M. Norsa (*Bull. Soc. Arch. d'Alexandrie*, no. 22, pp. 162-164), which is  
 probably to be assigned to the third century, not to the second, as in the  
 edition. No punctuation or lectional signs. A lacuna at the bottom corner had  
 been repaired (no doubt by the finders) with a scrap from a document (probably  
 of the third century), which has now been detached. Collated with the text of  
 H. B. Swete (*Old Testament in Greek*, Cambridge, vol. ii, 1891).

Ps. ii. 3-12.

## Recto.

- ii. 3 μὲν τοὺς δεσμούς αὐτῶν καὶ  
 ἀπορίψωμεν ἀφ' ἡμῶν τ[ὸν ζυ]  
 4 γόν ο κατοικῶν ἐν οὐνοῖς ἐκ]  
 γελάσεται αὐτοὺς κα[ὶ ο κς ἐκ]  
 5 5 μυκτηρι αὐτοὺς τότε [λαλή]  
 σθαι πρὸς αὐτοὺς ἐν ὀργῇ αὐτοῦ  
 καὶ ἐν τῷ θυμῷ αὐτοῦ ταρα]  
 6 ξεῖ αὐτοὺς ἐγὼ δὲ κ[ατεστα]  
 θὴν βασιλεὺς ὑπ' αὐτοῦ [ἐπὶ Σει]  
 10 7 ὧν ὁρὸς τὸ ἅγιον αὐτοῦ διαγ]  
 γέλλων τὸ [προσταγμα κῡ]  
 κς εἶπε[ν] π[ρὸς με υς μου]

## Verso.

- [εἰ] σύ ἐγὼ σήμερον γεγενῆ[η]  
 8 [κα] σε αἰτῆσαι παρ' ἐμοῦ καὶ δ[ω]  
 15 [σ]ὼ σοὶ ἐθνή τὴν κληρονομ[ίαν]  
 [σο]ὺ καὶ τὴν κατασχέσιν σο[ὺ]  
 9 [τα] περάτα τῆς γῆς ποιμανε[ῖς]  
 [αυ]τοὺς ἐν ραβδῷ σιδηρ[ᾷ ὡς]  
 [σκ]εὺς κεραμεὺς συντρι[ψαῖς]  
 20 10 [α]υτοὺς καὶ νῦν βασιλεῖς συν[ε]  
 [τ]ε παιδεύθητε πάντες [οἱ]  
 11 [κρινον]τες τὴν γῆν δοῦ[λευ]  
 12 [σατε τῷ κῶ] ἐν φ[ο]βῷ δραξ[ασ]  
 [θε παιδείας μ]ὴ ποτ[ε] ὀργι[σθη]

2. ἀπορίψωμεν (for ἀπορρίψωμεν) so R<sup>a</sup>. 2-3. ζυγὸν αὐτῶν Sw. 4-5. 1. ἐκμυκτηριεῖ.  
 9. βασιλεὺς: so AR<sup>b</sup>, Sw. om. 10-11. διαγγέλλων A. 18. There is no room for καὶ  
 before ὡς as A has. 19. σκευὴ N<sup>c.a</sup>AR<sup>a</sup>. 23. καὶ ἀγαλλιασθε αὐτῷ ἐν τρομῷ om.  
 after φοβῷ.

## 205. PSALMS.

Inv. No. 37. Seventh century. Acquired in 1836 from Edward Hogg, M.D.,  
 who states that it was 'discovered among the rubbish of an ancient convent at  
 Thebes'. Thirty-two separate leaves of a papyrus codex, measuring about

22 cm. x 16.5 cm. Single columns to the page of 12-19 lines. Two leaves, numbered 12 and 21, are blank on both sides. Sloping semi-uncial hand of Coptic type. The words are not separated, nor is there any break, even at the end of a psalm, or change of character for the titles. Numbers are added in the margin only in two instances (κδ', λγ'), and possibly in another hand. Very rarely a high point is used as a stop. Accents and breathings frequently occur, but not in accordance with the regular system. The text has many unique readings. Edited by Tischendorf, *Mon. Sac. Ined.*, nov. coll. i (1855), pp. 217-278. *Cat. of Anc. MSS. (Greek)*, 1881, p. 21, with plate. Collated in Swete's *Old Testament in Greek*, vol. ii, where it appears as U. Haeberlin 158.

Ps. x(xi). 2-xviii (xix). 6, xx(xxi). 14-xxxiv(xxxv). 6.

## 206. PSALMS.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34274 D (f. 51). Seventh or eighth century. Acquired in 1892. 25 cm. x 23.3 cm. Vellum leaf, incomplete at foot, of a Graeco-Coptic Psalter. No. 942 in Crum's Coptic MSS. in the British Museum, where it is assigned to the same codex as Or. MS. 3579 A. 17 (Crum 25, from Akhmîm), also printed below. In contrast to the latter MS., however, the former leaf is profusely supplied with accents (some unusual) and breathings; otherwise the resemblance seems complete. Large round uncial hand with high, low, or medial stops and occasional colon. Ends of lines often written above in a smaller hand. Single columns of 34 lines to the page when complete, Greek on one side, Coptic on the other. The Greek portion of both MSS. is transcribed below, revealing some very curious readings, e. g. in xlix. 6, cxviii. 36. The former is obviously the case of a gloss ousting the real text. The latter is explained by Mr. A. S. Fulton from haplography of the Hebrew word לֹא = both 'not' and 'to'. The omission of the negative entailed the use of a noun with a good meaning. Collated with Swete.

Ps. x(xi). 2-xi(xii). 5, xxx(xxxi). 9-16, xlviii(xlix). 20-xlix(l). 8, cxviii(cxix). 24-38.

Or. MS. 3579 A. 17<sup>1</sup>.

x. 2

<sup>τοξον</sup>  
 εν]ετειναν  
 φαρ]ετραν  
 σκ]οτομηνη

|    |       |                                                            |                                        |
|----|-------|------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
|    |       | κ]αρδια                                                    |                                        |
| 5  | 3     | κα]θειλον                                                  |                                        |
|    |       | εποι]ησεν                                                  |                                        |
|    | 4     | αυ]του                                                     |                                        |
|    |       | θρο]νος αυτου                                              |                                        |
|    |       | ]ου επιβ(λ)επουσιν                                         |                                        |
| 10 |       | την οικου]μενην                                            |                                        |
|    |       | αυ]του εξεταζει τους υιους                                 |                                        |
|    |       | [των ανθρωπ]ων                                             |                                        |
|    |       |                                                            | $\overline{\tau_{\beta\eta}}$          |
|    | 5     | ] τον δικαιον και τον ασε                                  |                                        |
|    |       | α]δικίαν μισεί την εαν                                     |                                        |
| 15 |       | [του ψυχ]ην                                                |                                        |
|    | 6     | ε]πι αμαρτωλους παγιδας                                    |                                        |
|    |       | ] και $\overline{\pi\nu\alpha}$ καταγιδος                  |                                        |
|    |       | τ]ου ποτηριου αυτων                                        |                                        |
|    | 7     | ] $\overline{\kappa\varsigma}$ και δικαιοσυνην             |                                        |
| 20 |       | [ηγαπησε]ν·                                                |                                        |
|    |       | ειδε]ν το προσωπον αυτου :                                 |                                        |
|    | xi. 1 | ] της ογδοης                                               |                                        |
|    |       | Δανει]δ :                                                  |                                        |
|    | 2     | οτ]ι εκλελοιπεν ὅσιος                                      |                                        |
| 25 |       | ωλιγωθ]ησαν αι αληθειαι                                    |                                        |
|    |       | ] υἱῶν των ανθρωπῶ                                         |                                        |
|    | 3     | ελαλ]ησεν εκαστος προς                                     |                                        |
|    |       | πλησ]ιον αυτου·                                            |                                        |
|    |       |                                                            | $\overline{\tau_{\sigma\epsilon\nu.}}$ |
|    |       | ε]ν καρδια· και καρδια ελαλή                               |                                        |
| 30 | 4     | [εξολεθρευ]σαι $\overline{\kappa\varsigma}$ παντα τα χειλη |                                        |
|    |       | Space of one line with deletion.                           |                                        |
|    |       | ] μεγαλορημονα.                                            |                                        |
|    | 5     | τ]ην γλωσσαν ημῶ                                           |                                        |
|    |       | [μεγαλυννουμ]εν·                                           |                                        |

9. ἀποβλέπουσιν Sw. 10. So U, τὸν πένητα Sw. 19. So N\*U, δικαιοσύνας Sw.  
 22, 23. The title is in a smaller hand. 29. ἐν καρδίᾳ ἐλάλησαν Sw., ἐλάλησεν U.

Add. MS. 34274 D (f. 51).

- <sup>δ</sup>ας μου
- xxx. 9 ἔστησας ἐν ευρυχώρῳ τοὺς πο  
 35 10 ἐλέησον με  $\overline{\kappa\epsilon}$  ο[τι] θλίβομαι.  
 εταράχθη ἐν θυ[μ]ῳ ὁ ὀφθαλμός μου.  
 ἡ ψυχὴ μου καὶ ἡ γαστήρ μου.  
 11 ὅτι ἐξέλειπεν ἐν ὀδύνῃ ἡ ζωὴ μου.  
 καὶ τὰ ἔτη μου ἐν στεναγμοῖς:  
 40 ἡσθένησεν ἐν πτωχείᾳ ἡ ἰσχὺς μου.  
 καὶ τὰ ὀστά μου εταράχθησαν.  
 12 παρὰ πάντας τοὺς ἐχθρούς μου  
 ἐγενήθην ὄνειδος  
 καὶ τοῖς γειτοσίν μου σφοδρὰ  
 45 καὶ φόβος τοῖς γνωστοῖς μου.  
 οἱ θεωροῦντές με ἔξω ἐφυγον  
 ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.  
 13 ὅτι ἐπελήσθην ὥσπερ νεκρὸς  
 ἀπο κάρδιας.  
 50 ἐγενήθην ὥσπερ σκεῦος ἀπολωλὸς  
 14 ὅτι ἤκουσα ψόγον πολλῶν παροι  
 κούντων κύκλοθεν.  
 [ἐν] τῷ ἐπισυναχθῆναι αὐτοὺς  
 ἅμα ἐπ' ἐμὲ.  
 55 [του λα]βεῖν τὴν ψυχὴν μου (ἐ)βουλεῦ  
<sup>σαντο.</sup>  
 15 [ἐγὼ δ] ἐπὶ σὲ ἤλπισα  $\overline{\kappa\epsilon}$  εἶπα ὅτι  
 [συ] εἰ ὁ  $\overline{\theta\varsigma}$  μου.  
 16 [ἐν ταῖς] χερσί σου οἱ κληῖροι μου  
 [ρυσαί με ἐκ χειρὸς ἐχθ]ρῶν μου  
 60 ] . . [.]<sup>τ</sup>ω

38. ἐξέλειπεν Sw. 48. So U, om. ὅτι Sw. 49. κάρδιας, first accent perhaps deleted. 53. So NARU, συναχθῆναι Sw. 56. So U, om. ὅτι Sw. 60. The first letter may well be κ, but the second does not seem to be ο (διω)κόντω).

Or. MS. 3579 A. 17<sup>2</sup>.

- xlvi. 20 εως αιωνος ουκ οψεται φως  
 21 ανος εν τιμη ων ου συνηκεν παρα  
 συνεβληθη τοις κτηνεσιν τοις  
 ανοητοις και ωμοιωθη αυτοις:
- 65 μθ ψαλμος τῷ Ασαφ  
 xlix. 1 Ο θς θεων κς ελαλησεν και εκαλεσεν  
 την γην απο ανατολων ηλιου  
 μεχρι δυσμων  
 2 εκ Σιων η ευπρεπεια της ωραιοτη  
 70 τος αυτου·  
 3 ο θς εμφανως ηξει·  
 ο θς ημων ου παρασιωπησεται  
 [π]υρ εναντιον αυτου κανθησεται  
 [και] κυκλω αυτου καταιγισ σφοδρα  
 75 4 [πρ]οσκαλεσεται τον ουνον ανω  
 [και την γ]ην εξ υψους κριναι τον  
 [λαον α]υτου·
- 5 [συναγαγετε] αυτω τους αγιους αν  
 [τους διατιθε]μενους την διαθη  
 80 [κην α]υτου επι θυσιαις·  
 6 [και αναγγελουσι]ν οι ουρανοι την  
 [δικαιοσυνην α]υτου  
 ] ημεραις ερευ  
 [νησω την Ιλη]μ μετα λυχνου.  
 85 ] διαψαλμα  
 7 λαλ]ησω σοι  
 ]  
 ] τκω[
- . . . . .

65. In a smaller hand.

66. ο om. Sw.

68. So <sup>Ne.a</sup>RT, ήλίον και Sw.

72. ήμῶν και Sw.

73. So Sw., ενωπιον RT.

76. εξ υψους om. Sw.

διακρίναι Sw.

78. οσίους Sw.

83. οτι θεος κριτής εστιν Sw.; the reading in the text appears to be a marginal gloss from Zeph. i. 12: και εσται εν τη ημέρα εκείνη εξερενήσω την Ιερουσαλήμ μετά λύχνου, which has ousted the real text.

Or. MS. 3579 A. 17<sup>3</sup>.

- cxviii. 24 και αι συμ[βου]λαι μου τ[ό] δικαι[ω]μα<sup>σου</sup>  
 90 25 εκολληθη [τ]ω εδαφει [η ψυχη] μου  
 ζησον με κατα το λογι[ο]ν σου  
 26 τας οδους μου εξηγγειλα και επη  
 κουσας μου  
 διδαξον με τα δικαιωματα σου  
 95 27 οδον δικαιωματος σου συνε  
 τισον με  
 και αδολεσχησω εν τοις θαυμασι<sup>οις σου</sup>  
 28 εστεναξεν η ψυχη μου απο  
 ακηδίας  
 100 29 βεβαιωσον με εν τοις λογοις μου  
 οδον αδικίας αποστησον απ εμου  
 και τω νομω σου ελεησον με  
 30 οδον αληθείας ηρετισαμην  
 τα κριματα σου ουκ επελαθομην  
 105 31 εκολληθην τοις μαρτυριοις σου  
 κ̄ε μη με καταισχυνης  
 32 οδω εντολων σου εδραμον οτι  
 επλατυνας την καρδιαν μου  
 33 νομοθετησον με κ̄ε την οδον  
 των δικαιωματος σου  
 110 και εκζητησω αυτην δια παντος  
 34 συνετισον με και ερευνησω  
 τον νομον σου  
 και φυλαξω αυτον εν ολη καρδια μ̄  
 115 35 οδηγησον με εν τριβω εντολων  
 σου οτι αυτην ηθελησα  
 36 κλινον την καρδιαν μου εις τα μαρ

89. δικαιώματα Sw. 91. So ART, ζήσομαι Sw. 92. σόν Sw. 95. So  
 Nc.<sup>a</sup>ART, καὶ ὁδὸν Sw. 98. ἐνίσταξεν Sw. 100. σου Sw. 107. ὁδόν, ὅταν Sw.  
 111. So Sw., ἐξεραυνήσω Nc.<sup>a</sup>AR, ἐξερευν. T. 115. τῶν ἐντολῶν Sw. 116. So  
 Nc.<sup>a</sup>ART, αὐτὸν Sw.

τυρια σου και εις ωφελειαν  
 37 αποστρεψον τους οφθαλμους  
 120 μου του μη ἴδεν ματαιοτητα  
 εν τη οδω σου ζησον με  
 38 στησον τω δουλω σου τον λογῶ

118. καὶ μὴ εἰς πλεονεξίαν MSS. and Sw. See introduction. 122. εἰς τὸ λόγιον Sw.  
 εἰς om. &<sup>1</sup> ART. τὸ λόγιον MSS.

## 207. PSALMS.

Inv. No. 230 (recto). Third to fourth century. Acquired in 1893. 25.7 cm. × 24.5 cm. Two columns of 37 lines, imperfect and somewhat damaged, written stichometrically along the fibres. It is uncertain whether the fragment is from a roll or a codex. Round well-formed semi-uncial hand of good size. An apostrophe divides double letters both within a word and between two words. κύριος, θεός, and ἄνθρωπος are contracted. Mistakes both of sense and of spelling are frequent. Over the lines of the text down to the end of Ps. xiii a series of dots added later marks off the several syllables. The text on the verso (No. 255) also has the syllables marked off, but by the original hand. No doubt both texts were used for reading exercises. Published, with facsimile, in *Athenaeum*, 8 Sept. 1894. Haeberlin 159.

Ps. xi(xii). 7-xiv(xv). 4.

## 208. PSALMS.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34473, art. 7. Sixth to seventh century. Acquired in 1893. Two vellum sheets (13.6 cm. × 22 cm.), forming eight pages, with single columns of 19-20 lines written stichometrically. Dimensions of column 9.5 cm. × 7.5 cm. Medium-sized uncial hand with exaggerated ϕ and narrow ε, ο, σ. The pages are numbered in a later hand 32, 33, 38, 39, 82-85, and belong to different gatherings. No accents; an upper or lower point, sometimes like a comma, is inserted at the end of each half-verse, and the first letter of each half-verse is enlarged and projects by the space of one letter. Collated with Swete.

Ps. lxxvi(lxxvii). 5-15, lxxvii(lxxviii). 8-16, lxxxv(lxxxvi). 8-lxxxvi(lxxxvii). 5.

- λβ  
lxxvi. 5 Εταραχθην και ουκ ε  
λαλησα.  
6 Διελογισαμην ήμε  
ρας αρχαιας.  
5 7 Και ετη αιωνια εμνη  
σθην και εμελετησα.  
Νυκτος μετα της καρ  
διας μου ηδολεσχῶ  
και εσκαλευον το  
10 πᾶ μου.  
8 Μη εις τους αιωνας  
απωσεται κς.  
Η ου προσθησει του ευ  
δοκησαι επι.  
15 9 Η εις τελος το ελεος  
αυτου αποκοψει απο  
γενεας εις γενεαν.  
10 Η επιλησεται του οι  
κτειρησαι ο θς.  
20 Η συνεξει εν τη οργη αυ  
του
- λγ  
τους οικτειρμους αυ  
του, διαψαλμα  
11 Και ειπα νυν ηρξαμῆ.  
αυτη η αλλοιωσις της  
δεξιας του υψιστου.  
25 12 Εμνησθην των ερ  
γων κν.  
Οτι μνησθησομαι  
απο της αρχης των  
θαυμασιων σου.  
30 13 Και μελετησω εν πα  
σι τοις εργοις σου.  
Και εν τοις επιτηδευ  
μασιν σου αδολεσχη  
σω.  
35 14 Ο θς εν τω αγιω η ο  
δος σου.  
Τις θς μεγας ως ο θς  
ημων  
40 15 Σν ει ο θς ημων ο ποιῶ

3. The object of the stroke over η is uncertain; cf. ὕιοι in l. 43, υἱοις in l. 133. 9. ἔσκαλεν Sw. 13. η: καὶ Sw. 16. So N<sup>c</sup>aRT, ἀποκόψει τὸ ἔλεος Sw. 17. So RT, καὶ γενεᾶς Sw. 20-21. So N<sup>c</sup>aRT, τ. οἰκ. αὐτ. ἐν τ. ὀργῇ αὐτ. Sw. 36. τω: so B<sup>b</sup>NRT, τῇ Sw.

- λη  
lxxvii. 8 Και ουκ επιστωθη με  
τα του θυ το πᾶ αυτης.  
9 Ὑιοι Εφραιμ εντεινῶ  
τες και εμβαλλοντες  
45 τοξοις.  
Εστραφησαν εν ημε  
ρα πολεμου.
- λθ  
θαυμασια.  
Εν γη Αιγυπτω εν πε  
διω Τανεως.  
13 Διερρηξεν θαλασσαν  
και διηγαγεν αυτους.  
65 Εστησεν ὕδατα ὡσει  
ασκον.
44. βάλλοντες Sw. 45. So B<sup>a</sup>bNRT, τόξον Sw.

10 Ουκ ἐφυλαξαντο τῇ  
 διαθηκῇ του  $\overline{\theta\nu}$   
 50 Καὶ ἐν τῷ νομῷ αὐτοῦ  
 οὐκ ἠθελον πορευ  
 εσθαι.  
 11 Καὶ ἐπελαθοντο τῷ  
 ἐνεργεσιῶν αὐτ[οῦ]  
 55 Καὶ τῶν θαυμ[ασιῶν]  
 αὐτοῦ ὧν ἐδ[ειξεν]  
 αὐτοῖς.  
 12 Ἐναντίον τ[ῶν πα]  
 τερῶν αὐτῶ[ν α ἐποίησεν]

πβ  
 lxxxv. 8 ἐν θεοῖς  $\overline{\kappa\epsilon}$   
 80 Καὶ οὐκ ἐστὶν κατὰ  
 [τ]ὰ ἔργα σου.  
 9 Π[α]ντα τὰ ἐθνη ὅσα  
 ἐ[π]οίησας ἡξουσιν.  
 Κ[αὶ] προσκυνήσου  
 85 σ[ι]ν ἐνώπιον σου  $\overline{\kappa\epsilon}$ .  
 Κα[ὶ] δοξάσουσιν το ο  
 [νο]μα σου.  
 10 Ὅτι μέγας εἰ σὺ καὶ  
 ποιῶν θαυμασία  
 90 Σὺ εἰ ο  $\overline{\theta\varsigma}$  ὁ μόνος ὁ μέγας.  
 11 Ὁδηγήσου με  $\overline{\kappa\epsilon}$  τῇ  
 οδῷ σου.  
 Καὶ πορευσομαι ἐν  
 τῇ ἀληθείᾳ σου.  
 95 Εὐφρανθήτω ἡ καρ  
 δια μου τοῦ φοβεῖ  
 σθαι το ὄνομα σου.

14 Καὶ ὠδηγήσεν αὐτοὺς  
 ἐν νεφέλῃ ἡμέρας.  
 Καὶ ὅλην τὴν νύκτα  
 70 ἐν φωτισμῷ πυρός.  
 15 Διερρηξέν πετραν  
 [ἐ]ν ἐρημῷ.  
 [Κα]ὶ ἐποίησεν αὐτοὺς  
 [ὡς] ἐν ἀβυσσῷ πολλῇ.  
 75 16 [Καὶ ἐξ]ῆγαγεν ὕδωρ  
 [ἐκ πέ]τρας.  
 [Καὶ κατ]ῆγαγεν ὡς πο.  
 [ταμούς] ὕδατα.

πγ  
 12 Ἐξομολογησομαι σοὶ  
 $\overline{\kappa\epsilon}$  ο  $\overline{\theta\varsigma}$  μου ἐν ὅλῃ  
 100 καρδίᾳ μου.  
 Καὶ δοξάσω το ο[ν]ο  
 μα σου εἰς τὸν [αὶ]  
 ὦνα.  
 13 Ὅτι το ἔλεος σου με  
 γὰ ἐπ ἐμέ.  
 Καὶ ἐρυσῶ τῇ[ν ψ]υ  
 χῇ μου ἐξ ἀδο[υ] κα  
 τῶτατον.  
 14 Ο  $\overline{\theta\varsigma}$  παρανομοὶ ἐπα  
 νεστήσαν ἐπ ἐμέ.  
 Καὶ συναγωγῇ κρα  
 ταιῶν ἐξέζητησέ  
 τὴν ψυχὴν μου.  
 Καὶ οὐ προέθεντο  
 σέ ἐνώπιον αὐτῶ.  
 15 Καὶ σοὶ  $\overline{\kappa\epsilon}$  ο  $\overline{\theta\varsigma}$  οἰκτεῖρμῳ

93. So NRT, ἐν om. Sw. 106. So T, ἐρρύσω Sw. 112.  $\bar{\epsilon}$  corrected to  $\bar{a}$  or  
 vice versa. ἐξήγησαν Sw., ἐξεζητησαν R. 114. So N<sup>c,a</sup>ART, καὶ om. Sw. 116. l. σύ.

|           |                          |     |                          |
|-----------|--------------------------|-----|--------------------------|
|           | πδ                       |     | πε                       |
|           | και ελεημων.             |     | εν τοις ορεσι τοις       |
|           | Μακροθυμος και πο        |     | αγιοις'                  |
|           | λυελεος και αληθεινος    | 2   | Αγαπα κς τας πυλας       |
| 120       | 16 Επιβλεψον επ εμε      |     | Σιων.                    |
|           | κ[αι] ελεησον με·        | 140 | Υπερ παντα τα [σκ]η      |
|           | Δ[ος] το κρατος τω παι   |     | νωματα του [Ια]κωβ'      |
|           | δι[ι] σ[ου]·             | 3   | Δεδοξασμενα [ε]λλα       |
|           | Κα[ι] σ[ω]σον τον υιον   |     | ληθη περι σο[υ] η πο     |
| 125       | [της] παιδισκης σου      |     | λις του θν· δι[ια]ψαλ]μ4 |
|           | 17 Π[ο]λησον μετ εμου    | 145 | 4 Μνησθησομαι [Ρα]αβ     |
|           | σημειον εις αγαθō·       |     | και Βαβυλωνος τοις       |
|           | Και ἴδετωσαν οι μι       |     | γνωσκουσιν με·           |
|           | σουντες με και αι        |     | Και ἴδου αλλοφυλοι       |
| 130       | σχυνθητωσαν              |     | και Τυρος και λαος       |
|           | Οτι συ κ̅ε εβοηθησας μοι | 150 | Αιθιοπων·                |
|           | και παρεκαλεσας με:—     |     | Ουτοι εγενηθησα̅         |
|           | + τοις υἱοις κορε ψαλ    |     | εκει·                    |
|           | — μος ωδης —             | 5   | μηρ Σιων ερει ανος       |
|           |                          |     | και ανος εγενηθη εν      |
| lxxxvi. i | π5 Οι θεμελιοι αυτου     | 155 | αυτη·                    |

122. So R, κράτος σου Sw.

141. του om. Sw.

## 209. SONG OF SOLOMON.

Inv. No. 2486. Early fourth century. Acquired in 1922. 19.5 cm. x 26.3 cm. Sheet forming two leaves of a papyrus codex, of which the other leaf contains the Apology of Aristides (No. 223). Column (15 cm. x 10.5 cm.) of 24 and 25 lines. Sloping uncial hand of medium size. Punctuation by spacing, with or without medial point. Occasional apostrophe between words and in l. 33 after the two last kappas of κόκκινον. The text shows a number of agreements with the Sinaiticus and the Alexandrinus.

Song of Sol. v. 12-vi. 10.

## Verso.

- v. 12 στερ[αι ἐπι πληρωμ]ατα ὕδατων λελου  
 μεν[α]ι ἐν γαλακτι καθημεναι ἐπι  
 14 π[λ]ηρωμ[ατα ὕδατ]ων· κοιλια αὐτου  
 πυξιον [ελεφαντι]νον ἐπι λιθου σαπ  
 5 13 πειρου σιαγονέ[ς αὐ]του ὡς φιαλαι του  
 αρωματος φυου[σαι] μυρεψικα χειλη  
 αὐτου κρευνα στ[αζ]όντα σμυρναι  
 14 πληρη· χεieres [αὐτου] τορευται χρυ  
 15 σαι π[επ]ληρωμεν[αί]· Ὁαρσεις· κνημει  
 10 αι αὐ[τ]ου στυλοι μα[ρμαρι]νοι τεθεμελι  
 ωμε[νοι] ἐπι βασει[ς χρυσ]ας· ειδος αὐτου  
 ὡς Λιβανος εκλε[κτος] ὡς κεδροι·  
 16 φαρυγξ<sup>2</sup> αὐτου γλ[υκα]σμοι και ολος ἐπι  
 θυμεια· ουτο[ς] ἀδελφιδος μου και ου  
 15 τος πλησιον θυγατερες Ἰερουσαλημ<sup>1</sup>  
 17 που ἀπηλθεν ο ἀδελφιδος μου· ἡ καλη  
 ἐν γυναιξιν που ἀπεβλεψεν ο ἀδελ  
 φιδος σου και ζητησομεν αὐτον μετα  
 vi. 1 σου ἀδελφιδος μ[ου] κ[ατ]έβη εἰς κηπον  
 20 αὐτου εἰς φι[α]λ[α]ς του [α]ρωματος ποιμαινεῖ  
 ἐν κηποις και συν[λεγει]ν κρευνα·  
 2 ἐγὼ τῷ ἀδ[ελ]φιδω μου κ[αί] ο ἀδελφιδος  
 μο[υ] ἐ[μοι] [ο] [ποιμαινων] ἐν τοις κρινοῖς·  
 3 καλ[η] εἰ [πλησιον] μ[ου] ὡς εὐδοκία ωραια

1. So NA, λελουσμένοι Sw. 3. ὕδατων: so NA, om. Sw. κοιλια . . . σαππειρου  
 should follow Ὁαρσεις in l. 9. 4 f. l. σαπφείρου. 9 f. l. κνήμαι. 15. πλησίον μου Sw.  
 16. l. σου. 19. ἀδελφιδος NA, ἀδελφός Sw. 22. ο NA, om. Sw.

## Recto.

- 25 ὡς Ἰερουσαλημ [θαμβος ὡς τετ]αγμε  
 4 ναι αποστρεψο[ν οφθαλμο]υ[ς] μου  
 απεναντιον μου ὅτι αὐτοι ἀνεπ[τ]ερωσά  
 με· τρεχωμ[α σου] ὡς ἀγέλη των αι

26. l. σου. 28. ἀγέλαι Sw.



## Recto.

- xiv. 1 κα]ι πληρης οργης  
 2 [η ωσπερ ανθο]ς ανθησαν εξε  
 [πεσεν]  
 [απεδρα δε ωσπερ] σκια και ου μη στη  
 5 3 [ουχι και τουτου λογ]ον εποιησω  
 [και τουτον εποιησ]ας εισελθειν  
 [εν κριματι ενω]πιον σου  
 4 [τις γαρ καθαρος εστ]αι απο ρυπου  
 [αλλ ουθ]εις  
 10 5 [εαν και μια ημερα ο β]ιος αυτου ε  
 . . . . .

## Verso.

- xiv. 12 αναστη  
 εως αν ο ουραν[ος ου μη συνραφη]  
 και ουκ εξϋπνι[σθησονται εξ υπνου]  
 αυτων  
 15 13 ει γαρ οφελ[ον εν<sup>ο</sup> αδη με εφυλαξας]  
 εκρυψας δε μ[ε εως αν παυσηται]  
 σου η ορ[γη]  
 και ταξη μοι χρ[ονον εν ω μνειαν μου]  
 ποιηση  
 20 14 εαν γαρ απο[θανη ανθρωπος ζησεται]  
 συντελεσ[ας]  
 . . . . .

## 211. DANIEL.

Inv. No. 2020. First half of fourth century. Transferred in 1911 from Or. MS. 7594. 4 cm. x 7.1 cm. Vellum fragment containing eight lines practically complete from the top of the page. Written on one side only in a light upright uncial hand. A few slight variations occur, not recorded in Swete. Published by H. I. Bell in Budge's edition of Or. MS. 7594 (*Coptic Biblical Texts in the Dialect of Upper Egypt*, 1912, p. xv).

Dan. i. 17, 18 (Theodotion's version).

(On previous col.)                      και τα παιδα]

i. 17 [ρι]α ταυτα οι τεσσαρες αυτοι εδωκε[ν]

ο θεος αυτοις φρονησιν και συνε

[σ]ιν εν παση γραμματικη σο[φι]α

[κ]αι Δανιηλ συνηκεν εν παση ορα

5        18 [σ]ει και εν ενυπνιοις και μετα τε

[λο]ς των ημερων ων ειπεν ο βα[σι]

[λευ]ς εισαγαγειν αυτους και ει[σ]η[γα]

[γεν] αυτους ο αρχεννουχος ενα[ν]

[τιον]

1. ἔδωκεν αὐτοῖς Sw.    2. σύνεσιν καὶ φρόνησιν Sw.    3. καὶ σοφία Sw., om. και Q\*.  
 4. ἐν om. Sw.    τὸ τέλος Sw.    8. ἀρχιεννοῦχος Sw.

## 212. ST. MATTHEW.

Inv. No. 2077 C. Seventh or eighth century. Numbered in 1914. 16.8 cm. x 7 cm. Fragment from the upper part of a vellum leaf. Very large round rather coarse uncial hand. The high stop is used. Greek text on one side, Coptic on the other. Cf. the similar fragment Or. 4923 (2) (Crum 500) and No. 206 above. Collated with Tischendorf.

Matth. xi. 20, 21.

Flesh side.

xi. 20 [το]τε ηρξατο

[ο]νειδιζειν

[τας] πολεις ε

[ν] αις ε[γ]ενον

5        [τ]ο αι πλισται

[δυ]ναμεις αυ

[του] οτι ου

[μ]ετενοησα

21 [ου]αι σοι Χορα

10        [ζ]ιν· ουαι σοι

[Βη]θσαϊδα· ο

[τι ει] εν Τυρω

[και Σιδ]ωνι

15

[εγεν]ηθησαν  
 [αι δ]υναμει[s]  
 [αι γ]ενομεναι  
 [εν υμιν π]αλα[ι]

14. Tisch. ἐγένοντο.

## 213. ST. JOHN.

Inv. No. 782+2484. Third century. Acquired in 1900 and 1922. 24.5 cm. × 6.8 cm. Three leaves, all imperfect, from a papyrus codex. The two leaves of 782 form one sheet containing parts of chaps. i and xx, and, if the original book contained the whole Gospel, must have been nearly the outermost of a large quire. On this scale a single quire of 25 sheets would have composed the book. Single columns of 27 lines. Upright rather heavy semi-uncial hand. Punctuation by short blank spaces. Occasional rough breathings. Usual theological contractions. The text is good, and appears to have affinities with the Codex Sinaiticus. P. Oxy. ii. 208+xv. 1781. Gregory p<sup>5</sup>.

John i. 23-41, xvi. 14-30, xx. 11-25.

## 214. ST. JOHN.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34274 D (f. 52). Seventh century. Acquired in 1892. 24.5 cm. × 27.1 cm. Double-columned vellum leaf, incomplete at foot, of a Graeco-Coptic codex. Large round uncial hand. High stop and occasional colon. Initial vowels often marked with light horizontal line. Orthographical errors are common. Lines project occasionally with a capital letter into the margin, perhaps for lectional purposes. The Coptic side of the leaf, numbered in the right-hand corner  $\overline{\text{XNI}}$ , contains John vii. 42-viii. 12. The Greek side is numbered in the left-hand corner  $\overline{\text{XND}}$ . Crum 959; Gregory 0110.

John viii. 13-21.

Col. i.

viii. 13 συ περι σεαυτου  
 μαρτυρεις· ἡ μαρ  
 τυρια σου ουκ ε  
 14 στιν αληθης: ᾱ

Col. ii.

18 μαρτυρει περι  
 30 ε̄μου ὁ πεμφας  
 19 με π̄ηρ: ε̄λε  
 γον ουν αυτω

|    |                    |       |                      |
|----|--------------------|-------|----------------------|
| 5  | Πεκριθη Ἰς και ει  |       | που εστιν ὁ πῆρ      |
|    | πεν αυτοις κᾱ     |       | σου· και ἄπε         |
|    | ἐγω μαρτυρει       | 35    | Κριθη Ἰς ουτε ἔ      |
|    | ἐμαντου· ἄλη       |       | με οιδατε· οὔτε      |
|    | θης εστιν ἡ μαρ    |       | τον πῆρα μου· ει     |
| 10 | τυρια μου ὅτι      |       | ἔμε η̄δειτε· και     |
|    | οιδα ποθεν ηλ      |       | τον πῆρα μου αν      |
|    | θον και που ὕ      | 40 20 | ἡδειτε· ταυ          |
|    | παγω· ὕμε[ις ου]   |       | Τα τα ρηματα ε       |
|    | κ οιδε ποθ[εν ερ]  |       | λαλησεν τω γα        |
| 15 | χομαι ἡ π[ου υ]    |       | ζοφυλακιω δι         |
| 15 | παγω· ὕ[μεις]      |       | δασκων εν τω         |
|    | κατα την [σαρκα]   | 45    | [ι]ἔρω· και ουδε[ις] |
|    | κρινετε· ε[γω ου]  |       | ἐπιασεν αυτο[ν]      |
|    | κρινω ουδε[να]     |       | ὅτι ουπω ελυ         |
| 20 | 16 και ἔαν κρι[νω] |       | ληθει ἡ ὥρα αυ       |
|    | δε ἔγω ἡ κρι[ις]   | 21    | του· ειπεν           |
|    | ἡ ἔμη αληθ[ινη]    | 50    | [ου]ν παλιν αυτοις   |
|    | εστιν ὅτι[ι μο]    |       | ο Ἰς ἔγω ὕπαγω       |
|    | νος ουκ ε[ιμι]     |       | και ζητεσεται        |
| 25 | αλλα εγω [και ο]   |       | [με και] εν τη α     |
|    | πεμψ[ας με]        |       | [μαρτια] ὕμων        |
| 17 | πῆρ· κ[αι εν τω]   | 55    | [αποθα]νεισθαι       |
|    | νο[μω]             |       | [και οπο]ν εγω [     |
|    | .                  |       | .                    |
|    | .                  |       | .                    |
|    | .                  |       | .                    |
|    | .                  |       | .                    |

7. l. μαρτυρῶ περὶ. 13. δε perhaps om. as in many MSS. 14. l. οἶδατε 27.  
πατήρ om. Tisch. 34. καὶ om. Tisch. 42. ἐν Tisch. 47 f. l. ἐληλύθει. 51. ὁ  
Is om. Tisch. 52. l. ζητήσετε. 55. l. ἀποθανείσθε. 56. καὶ om. Tisch.

## 215. I CORINTHIANS.

Inv. No. 2077 B. Sixth to seventh century. Numbered in 1914. Three small fragments (the largest 8.5 cm. x 5 cm.) from a vellum leaf written in a medium-sized round uncial hand. Very illegible owing to the ink having bitten through the vellum. A transcript of the largest fragment is given below.

I Cor. xi. 17-19 22-24.

|        |    |                       |                |
|--------|----|-----------------------|----------------|
| xi. 17 | ]  | δε                    |                |
|        | [  | παραγγελλω            | ουκ ε          |
|        | [  | παινων                | οτ[ι ουκ ει[s] |
|        |    |                       | 15             |
|        | [  | το κρεισσο            | ν αλλα ει[s]   |
| 5      | [  | το ησσ                | ον συνε . . [  |
|        | ]  |                       |                |
| 18     | [  | πρωτον μεν            | γαρ συνε[r]    |
|        | [  | χομενων               | υμων . [       |
|        |    |                       | 20             |
|        | [  | εν εκκλη]σια          | ακου[ω]        |
| 10     | [  | σχισματ]α             | εν υμ[ι]ν      |
|        | [  | υπαρχ]ειν             | και μερ[ος]    |
| 19     | [  | τι πι]στειν           | δει [γαρ]      |
|        | [  | και αι]ρε[σει]ς       | εν υμ[ι]ν      |
|        |    |                       | 25             |
|        |    |                       | ...            |
|        |    |                       | ...            |
|        | 22 | ε]παινεσ[ω υμας εν]   |                |
|        |    | τουτω ου[κ επαινω]    |                |
|        | 23 | εγω γαρ παρ[ε]λαβον]  |                |
|        |    | απο του κϋ [ο και πα] |                |
|        |    | ρעדωκα . [            |                |
|        |    | ... κς Ις [           |                |
|        |    | [η] παρεδιδ[ετο ε]    |                |
|        | 24 | [λα]βεν αρτην [       |                |
|        |    | .... [                |                |
|        |    | [ει]πεν τ[ουτ]ο [     |                |

5. Text *συνέχεσθε*, but it is difficult to read *ρχ*. The next line is blank; the writing shows through very clearly from the other side and it seems likely that the scribe made some blunder (perhaps owing to the double occurrence of the verb *συνέχεσθαι*) and then deleted what he had written. 8. The traces after *υμων* do not look like *ε*, and *εν* is required by the space in l. 9.

## 216. I CORINTHIANS.

Inv. No. 2240. Fifth century. Acquired in 1921 (transferred from the Department of British and Mediaeval Antiquities, to which, with the other objects found at Wadi Sarga, it was presented by the Byzantine Research Fund). Portions of two leaves, together with six small fragments, from a vellum codex. The largest leaf measures at present 13 cm. x 13 cm., but the vellum having shrivelled the original size was greater. Width of column about 4.5 cm. Two columns to the page. Round upright fairly regular uncial hand. No accents; occasional high or medial point. One page has at the top the number ρμζ. Vellum much stained and shrivelled. The text is fairly good, and agrees on the whole with von Soden's *I* (Palestinian recension). Published by W. E. Crum and H. I. Bell, *Wadi Sarga*, pp. 32-42.

1 Cor. xii. 2-13, xiv. 19-29.

## 217. COLOSSIANS.

Inv. No. 459. Sixth century. Acquired in 1894. 11.2 cm. x 7.5 cm. Fragment from foot of a vellum leaf. Lower margin 5.4 cm. Large uncial hand. Written stichometrically, the first line of the στίχος projecting by the space of two letters. Collated with Tischendorf's text.

Coloss. iii. 15, 16, 20, 21.

|         |                                                    |    |                                          |
|---------|----------------------------------------------------|----|------------------------------------------|
| iii. 15 | [κ]αι [η ειρηνη του $\overline{\chi\upsilon}$ βρα] | 20 | [τα τεκνα υπακουε]τε                     |
|         | βε[νετω εν ταις καρ]                               |    | [τοις γονευσι κ]ατα                      |
|         | δια[ις υμων]                                       | 10 | [παντα τουτο γ]αρ εστι                   |
|         | εις ην [και εκληθητε]                              |    | [ευαρεστον τ]ω $\overline{\kappa\omega}$ |
| 5       | εν ε[νι σωματι και εν]                             | 21 | [οι πατερες μη] παροργι                  |
|         | χαρισ[τοι γινεσθε]                                 |    | [ζετε τα τεκ]να υμων                     |
| 16      | ο λογος τ[ου $\overline{\chi\upsilon}$ ]           |    | [ινα μη αθυ]μωσιν                        |

10, 11. So F<sup>g</sup>GKL; ἐστίν after εὐαρεστον Tisch. with  $\mathfrak{N}$ ABCDE. 11. ἐν κυρίῳ  
Tisch. with  $\mathfrak{N}$ ABCDEFGKL. 21, 22. So  $\mathfrak{N}$ ACD<sup>\*</sup>E<sup>\*</sup>FGKL, ἐρεθίζετε Tisch. with  
BD<sup>b</sup> and c E<sup>\*</sup>K.

## 218. HEBREWS.

Inv. No. 1532 (verso). Third to fourth century. Acquired in 1906. Height 26.3 cm. Remains of 11 broad columns of 23-27 lines from a roll, numbered at the top 47-50, 63-65, 67-69. Written across the fibres on the verso of the Livy Epitome (No. 120). Sloping uncial of the oval type, somewhat coarse and irregular, becoming at col. 64 upright and square. Punctuation of an unusual type by double point, occasionally by a single point. Only the commonest ecclesiastical contractions are used. The text is important from its general agreement with the Codex Vaticanus, and from the fact that it contains parts of the Epistle which are lacking in that MS. P. Oxy. iv. 657. Plate in *New Pal. Soc.* i. 47. Gregory p<sup>13</sup>.

Hebrews ii. 14-xii. 17.

## 219. REVELATION.

Inv. No. 2053 (verso). Third to fourth century. Acquired in 1914. 15.1 cm. x 9.8 cm. Remains of 17 lines from a roll. Written across the fibres on the verso of No. 203. Heavy upright semi-cursive hand. Ἰησοῦς Χριστός is written

ⲓⲛ ⲭⲣ, a form unusual in literary texts but found in inscriptions. *θεός* is contracted in the usual way, but not *πατήρ*. The text shows little consistency, but agrees twice with the Codex Alexandrinus against the other two chief uncials. P. Oxy. viii. 1079.

Rev. i. 4-7.

## 220. REVELATION.

Inv. No. 2241 (one fragment in frame 1). Sixth to seventh century. Acquired, with No. 216 above (*q. v.*), in 1921. 3.5 cm. x 7.2 cm. Small scrap, perhaps from a roll; the great gap between the contents of the recto and those of the verso suggests that the MS. was a lectionary or other liturgical work. In two hands, that of the recto (across the fibres) a sloping uncial of medium size, that of the verso (along the fibres) smaller and more cursive. Published by W. E. Crum and H. I. Bell, *Wadi Sarga*, pp. 43-45.

Rev. ii. 12-13, xv. 8-xvi. 2.

## 2. APOCRYPHA AND EARLY CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

### 221. ACTS OF PETER.

Inv. No. 2041. Early fourth century. Acquired in 1914. 9.8 cm. x 9 cm. Leaf, practically perfect, of a vellum codex. The pages are numbered 167 and 168. Single columns of 14 lines. Medium-sized upright uncial hand. No stops, breathings, or accents, but a coronis is used to fill up a space at the end of l. 14. P. Oxy. vi. 849, with plate; Wessely, *Les plus anciens monuments du Christianisme écrits sur papyrus* in Graffin and Nau, *Patrologia Orientalis*, xviii, p. 481 f. The text corresponds to the Latin version from the Vercelli MS., edited by Lipsius, *Acta Apostolorum Apocrypha*, i, p. 73, ll. 16-27.

### 222. LOGIA JESU.

Inv. No. 1531 (verso). Middle or end of third century. Acquired in 1906. 24.4 cm. x 7.8 cm. Column with 42 lines, incomplete at foot, right-hand side, and lower left-hand side. Written across the fibres on the verso of a land-survey list. Upright informal uncial hand of medium size. Paragraphi mark

off the five separate sayings. A coronis usually indicates the end of a sentence. The only contraction is  $\overline{\text{I}\eta\varsigma}$  for  $\text{'I}\eta\sigma\omicron\delta\varsigma$ . P. Oxy. iv. 654, with plate. Published also separately by Grenfell and Hunt, *New Sayings of Jesus and Fragments of a Lost Gospel*, 1904. (A similar collection is P. Oxy. i. 1.) See also Wessely in *Patr. Or.* iv (1908), pp. 158–172, and H. G. Evelyn White, *The Sayings of Jesus from Oxyrhynchus* (1920). Later suggestions by M. J. Lagrange in *Rev. Biblique*, xxx (1921), p. 233, for Saying 3, and by Schubart in *Z. f. d. neutest. Wiss.* xx (1922), p. 215, for Saying 2.

### 223. ARISTIDES.

Inv. No. 2486. Early fourth century. Acquired in 1922. 19.5 cm. x 26.3 cm. Sheet forming two leaves of a papyrus codex, one leaf containing the Song of Solomon (No. 209) and the other the *Apology* of Aristides. Columns 15 cm. x 10.5 cm. Lines to the column 24 and 27. Medium-sized sloping uncial hand. Punctuation is usually marked by a vacant space.  $\theta\epsilon\acute{o}\varsigma$ ,  $\kappa\acute{\upsilon}\rho\iota\omicron\varsigma$ , and  $\chi\rho\iota\sigma\tau\acute{o}\varsigma$  have the usual contractions. Diaeresis over  $\iota$  occurs twice. If the sheet was folded in the usual way, i. e. recto inwards, the Aristides leaf followed the Song leaf, and the intervening leaves must have contained the rest of the Song (occupying probably about three pages) and the first part of the Aristides (occupying, to judge from the English translation of the Syriac version in *Texts and Studies*, vol. i (1891), about thirteen pages). The quire would therefore have consisted of at least five sheets. The reverse order would reduce the minimum number of sheets by one. The text is much fuller than the corresponding section (Boissonade, *Anecd. Gr.* iv, pp. 253–254) of *Barlaam and Josaphat*, and the Syriac version is now proved to be (as had already been suspected from the other Aristides fragment, P. Oxy. xv. 1778) a tolerably close translation of the original Greek. Published by H. J. M. Milne in *Journal of Theological Studies*, xxv (1923), pp. 73–77. The text covers chap. xv of the edition in *Texts and Studies*, vol. i. See J. de Zwaan, 'A gap in the recently discovered Greek of the *Apology* of Aristides' in *Harvard Theol. Rev.* xviii (1925), pp. 109–111.

*Apology* xv.

### 224. HERMAS.

Inv. No. 2067. Fourth century. Acquired in 1914. 19.2 cm. x 12.9 cm. Nearly complete leaf from a papyrus codex. The two pages are numbered 70 and 71. Single columns of 25 and 23 lines. Medium-sized sloping semi-uncial

hand. The angular loop of the *a* is often exaggerated. *θεός* and *κύριος* are abbreviated, but not *ἄνθρωπος*. P. Oxy. ix. 1172; Wessely in *Patr. Or.* xviii, pp. 477-479. Collated by Kirsopp Lake in the Loeb edition of *The Apostolic Fathers* (1913).

*Pastor*, Sim. ii. 4-10.

## 225. HERMAS.

Inv. No. 2467. Fourth century. Acquired in 1922. 24.5 cm. x 19.8 cm. Complete leaf from a papyrus codex. The two pages are numbered 72 and 73. Single columns of 28 lines. Medium-sized upright semi-uncial hand, giving place at l. 7 of the verso to a larger and less practised hand, but resumed on the recto. Pauses are indicated by high stops and blank spaces. An apostrophe is sometimes used to mark elision or divide double consonants. The text is prone to omissions. P. Oxy. xiii. 1599; Wessely in *Patr. Or.* xviii, pp. 504-506.

*Pastor*, Sim. viii. 6. 4-8. 3.

## 226. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 113 (13a). Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1878. From the Fayum. 19.9 cm. x 10 cm. Papyrus leaf imperfect all round. Large upright uncial hand, rather rough. A dot is usually placed over *υ* even in a diphthong, and sometimes over initial *ι*. Occasional high point. Verso published in *Greek Papyri*, i (1893), p. 227, with plate. A transcript of the whole is printed below. Probably the same work as No. 227. Haeberlin 177.

History of Joseph.

Recto.

. . . . .  
 ] . νεῖ[  
 ]λύσεν συ[  
 αλ]ηθως μετ αυτα . [  
 ]ειν φρονιμοτερο[ν  
 5 ]τον ως εμε ημετε[ρ  
 ]ου και φθορας ραλε της . [  
 μνησθ]εις του Ιακωβ . [  
 ]ες της γης· και εκτος σου [  
 ]λης ηθελησα ο Φαραω . [  
 6. ε corrected from θ?



] αργυρωνητον η του ν[  
 ] γνωσθεις παρ αυτων κα[  
 ] Ιωσηφ μνησθεις του Ια[κωβ  
 ουκετι] δε κρατησας τοτε εαυτο[ν  
 45 ]ν λειπων προς βραχυ· απεβ[η  
 ]ς τοις συγγονοις αυτου κ[  
 πρια]σασθαι σιτον εζητειτε . . [  
 ]αι· αλλ ηλθατε παντες ι[να ?  
 ] ουν εστε δηλωσατε και π[  
 50 ] εχετε ετερον συγγονον· . [  
 ]ημος των υιων Ιακωβ· κ[  
 τ]ον θ[ν]· νυνι σωσον ημας ο θ[ς] Αβρααμ  
 ]ενοι δε τον φοβον προς βραχ[υ  
 βα]σιλει Ιωσηφ· μη οργιζου β[ασιλευ  
 55 ηλ]θαμεν γαρ ουκ ιχ[υ]ευσαι  
 ]ηδες πρεσβυτο[ν  
 ] κακεινος και ημ[εις  
 ]· τ[η] γη ημω[ν  
 ] ταις σου [

## 227. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 113 (12 b). Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1878. From the Fayum. 13 cm. x 7.7 cm. Fragment from the top of a papyrus leaf. Sloping uncial hand of Coptic type. Printed in *Greek Papyri*, i (1893), p. 225, with plate. A revised transcript is printed below. Probably the same work as No. 226, and possibly the same MS., as the same lectional peculiarities occur, but the hand is hardly the same.

History of Joseph.

Recto.

]εβησαν εις Χανααν [  
 ε]σκιρτα· και το βλεμμ[α ?  
 τ]ον αριθμον των δεκα Χ[αναναιων ?  
 ? το]ν ενος δειχα· επυνθ[αν

4. l. δ[ί]χα.

- 5 ]ι δε φησιν ακουσον [  
 ] . ν̄ν καθ ημων κα[  
 ] . και οργιζομεν . [  
 απ]οκτιναι ημας ομ[  
 ? αμαρ]τιαις ταις σαις ο  $\overline{\theta\varsigma}$  Ια[κωβ ?  
 10 ] και οπερ ου ζητω απεκρ[  
 Συ]μεων πον· μη καύτος [  
 Ιω]σηφ· προστεθεικατε [  
 ]του ακμην εχω το τ[  
 α]γαγετε μοι τούτου ο . . [  
 15 ]μενοι ν̄ν αντερει το[  
 ]δνα δοτε κρημ̄ . . . [  
 ] . . Συμεω[  
 . . . . .

## Verso.

- ] . ενωπιον σου εστιν· [  
 ] . ρετον ημας και σ . [  
 20 ]ετε εστιν πιστα· αλ . [  
 ]ψον . ν̄ παρ εμοι κατα[  
 ]κατε ν̄ν· απαγαγετε  
 το]ν σύγγονον προ[ος ?  
 ]ασθε μοι· ελαβε[  
 25 ]ας ενωπιον αυτω̄ . [  
 ] αυτοις· πα . . ακρ[  
 ]ως δικαιως ταυτα [  
 ] . ο  $\overline{\theta\varsigma}$  Ιωσηφ· μνησ[θεις  
 ] υμων βοησω· ο Ρουβη[ν  
 30 δο]υλεύων υμιν· μη [  
 ] μη οργιζεσθαι· σαρξ̄ [  
 ] ως αφρονούντα κα[  
 ] . . . μους δε του[  
 ] εστιν κα[  
 . . . . .

6. Not ν̄ν apparently.  
 be expected to be visible.

9. Ιω[σηφ possible. If Ια[κωβ is correct part of κ might  
 19. Not σε apparently.



[το]ς και ο Γλαβρος οικογε  
 [ν]ης Ελλη[ν] εστιν η ιδι  
 20 [. .]σ . . . . . ειληφως η οι ιδι  
 [. . .] . τομην πραθεν επεισ  
 [. . . . .]εν . . . . . ν γηι  
 [. . . . γ]εγενν[η]σθαι ο δε  
 [. . . . .]τ . . . . .σι Ις . . . ος  
 25 [. . . . .] . . . . . λο . . . . . και  
 [. . . . .] . . . . . μεν  
 [. . . . .] . . . . . δ . . . . . νεκα  
 [. . . . .] . . . . . καδεκασ  
 [. . . . .] . . . . . ας δε οκτω κυ  
 30 [. . . . .] . . . . . ρ ἴσοτης εν  
 [. . . . .] δυναστας εσι  
 [. . . . .]ατους και  
 [. . . . .] . μερη μεν  
 [. . . . .]ρπον εκτον

18. The Latin name Glaber. Or glaber = servus pathicus (Cr.).

## Col. ii.

. . . . .  
 35 το μ[  
 π . [  
 [  
 κα[  
 τω[  
 40 με[  
 πον[  
 τουτ' [

## Fr. 2.

## Col. iii.

## Col. iv.

Gen. xiv. 17

ε]ξηλθε δε βασι

|    |              |                            |
|----|--------------|----------------------------|
|    | το]ν οχλον   | λευ[ς Σ]οδομω[ν] εις συν   |
|    | ]ηχει        | 60 αυτη[σ]ιν αυτωι μετα το |
|    | <sup>a</sup> |                            |
| 45 | ]ημερωι      | απο[σ]τρεψαι αυτον απ[ο]   |
|    | ]ε . ι       | της κοπης του Χοδορλα      |
|    | ]αν          | γομορ και των βασιλεων     |
|    | ]ωναι        | των μετ αυτου εις την      |
|    | ] και        | 65 κοιλαδ[α τ]ην Σαυην του |
| 50 | ] . ν        | τ ην το π[ε]διον βασιλεως  |
|    | ]τρε         |                            |
|    | ]ητειν       |                            |
|    | ]πε          |                            |
|    | ]ει          |                            |
| 55 | ]πο          |                            |
|    | ]δ[.]        |                            |

61. υποστρεψαι codd.

62. Χοδαλλογομορ codd.

## 229. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 1859 E. Sixth or seventh century. Numbered in 1911. Eight fragments of a papyrus codex, the largest 9.8 cm. x 5 cm. Written in brown ink in a large thick rounded uncial hand. The medial point seems to occur. The codex having been shut before the ink was dry, many letters have set off on the opposite page, making decipherment uncertain in places.

Apocalyptic Homily (?).

| Fr. 1.            |               | Fr. 2.            |               |
|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Recto.            | Verso.        | Recto.            | Verso.        |
| ·                 | ·             | ·                 | ·             |
| ] . αυθρω[        | ]μεγ· αυ[     | ]γρ . . [         | ] . . ις [    |
| ]αι πολλω[        | ]ωνητ . [     | ]ημω[             | ] Αιγυπ[τ     |
| ] . . τροπ . [ 10 | ] . ηματα . [ | ]λανσ . [         | ]οις κα[ι     |
| ]θησονται         | ] . ιστης . [ | ]τον ιδιο[ν       | ]ια ταπει[ν   |
| 5 ο]υσιν ο β[     | α]νθρωπ[      | 20 ]εξε . ετα . [ | 30 ] μεσημβρ[ |
| ]τοπω[            | ]α πνευ[      | ] . . εται π[     | ]ερωνει[      |

8. i.e. μέγ' αὐ[τ] (the point is clear).

|        |   |         |   |             |      |           |
|--------|---|---------|---|-------------|------|-----------|
| ]. ρα[ | ] | ρητη[   | ] | ωσετα . [   | ]    | α . . εδ[ |
| .      | . | 15 ]το[ | ] | . σταις [   | ]    | . . ογλ[  |
| .      | . | .       | . | ην ηε . [   | ]    | φον χυ[   |
| .      | . | .       | . | 25 ]β . . [ | 35 ] | . ταπε[   |
| .      | . | .       | . | .           | .    | μωλ . [   |

| Fr. 3.      |            | Fr. 4.    |                |
|-------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| Recto.      | Verso.     | Recto.    | Verso.         |
| .           | .          | .         | .              |
| ]           | ]          | ]. οσ[    | 60 ] . νκ[     |
| ιμηε[       | ]          | ]         | ελη[           |
| ς ανθρωπ[   | φανα[      | 50 ]ξειδ[ | γ]αρ ομιχλ . [ |
| φ[ο]ν πο[   | ρον με[    | ]         | θαι και ολ[    |
| 40 ]ανηγελ[ | 45 ]ταδυο[ | ]         | οσ αι ηδλη . [ |
| ]. . . [    | ]          | ]         | ω ζυγω κα[     |
| .           | ]          | ]         | πλαινη και [   |
| .           | σα ο[      | ]         | ος και αν[     |
| .           | .          | 65 ]      | α εσται ο[     |
| .           | .          | ]         | εριτος ω[      |
| .           | .          | 55 ]      | ταξει και [    |
| .           | .          | ]         | σται δεκ[      |
| .           | .          | ]         | ιμ . . . τογ[  |
| .           | .          | ]         | και πενθο[     |
| .           | .          | ]         | ουσαν . . [    |
| .           | .          | ]         | νσησ . [       |
| .           | .          | ]         | ον τ . [       |
| .           | .          | 70 ]      | αναβ[          |
| .           | .          | ]         | . . . [        |
| .           | .          | .         | .              |

| Fr. 5.        |                | Fr. 6. |                |
|---------------|----------------|--------|----------------|
| Recto.        | Verso.         | Recto. | Verso.         |
| .             | .              | .      | .              |
| ]             | ]. ιε[         | ]      | 90 ] . . [     |
| απ[           | ]. χας [       | 85 ]   | το . [         |
| οσι[          | ]              | ]      | ινκ . [        |
| αραβ . [      | 80 ]           | ]      | ανθρωπ[        |
| ολεξα . [     | ]. . . ελλ . [ | ]      | αιεν τηα[      |
| 75 ] . στινο[ | ω . τα[        | ]      | εφθημερ[       |
| και ηλ[       | ην[            | 95 ]   | . . . εχ . . [ |
| ου[           | .              | .      | .              |
| .             | .              | .      | .              |

| Fr. 7. |                    | Fr. 8. |        |
|--------|--------------------|--------|--------|
| Recto. | Verso.             | Recto. | Verso. |
| υλε    | Illegible (1 line) | εξ[    | ην[    |

## 4. DEVOTIONAL AND LITURGICAL

## 230. AMULET (?).

Inv. No. 1189. Third to fourth century. Acquired in 1903. 14.6 cm. x 15.7 cm. Short prayer of six and a half lines with deep lower margin (9 cm.). Written along the fibres. Rather elongated, ornate uncial hand. On the verso is the title *προσευχή*, and a brief memorandum of some amounts in cursive. P. Oxy. iii. 407.

Prayer for protection and forgiveness of sins.

## 231. AMULET.

Inv. No. 1176. Seventh century. Acquired in 1901. 21.6 cm. x 17.5 cm. Parts of five lines with deep lower margin (14.5 cm.), which may have been folded round as a protective covering. Written across the fibres. Large sloping uncial hand. No doubt an amulet. Cf. l. 5 τῷ φοροῦντ[ι].

Prayer to the Trinity for protection.

τω πατρι και τω υιω [κα]ι τω α[γιω πνευματι]  
 νυν κα ει και τους αιωνας τ[ων αιωνων τουν]  
 υιον μονογενη περιβεβλημα[ι]  
 φυγε απ εμου παν κακον παν πο[νηρον]  
 5 το αιμα του Χυ φεισαι τω φορουντ[ι]

1. There may have been a line preceding. We should expect δόξα as in P. S. I. vi. 719.  
 5. 2. A smudge after κα perhaps stands for ι. ε of ει is corrected from another letter  
 1. καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. 3. Cf. Rev. xii. 1: γυνὴ περιβεβλημένη τὸν ἥλιον. 4. 1.  
 φεῦγε. For π[ονηρόν] cf. P. Iand. 6, l. 16: πονηρόν συνάντημα. 5. Cf. B. K. T. vi  
 (no. 6096), p. 130: τὸ σῶμα καὶ τὸ αἷμα τοῦ Χυ φείσαι τοῦ δούλου σου τὸν φοροῦντα (sic) τὸ  
 φυλακτήριον τοῦτο.



|    |                       |    |                       |
|----|-----------------------|----|-----------------------|
|    | ] ημῖν πασὶ τοῖς      | 40 | ] ἡσθης ἐν φιλ[       |
| 30 | ] . . . εἰς κριμα [   |    | ] . ν . . . . . κυ[   |
|    | ] ἡν κ[αι] θεραπ[ευ   |    | ] . υ σοῖ καὶ συν . [ |
|    | ] . καὶ τὴν ἀμῖ . . [ |    | ] . . . . . [         |
|    | ] υ . [               |    | . . . . .             |

## 233. CHURCH CALENDAR.

Inv. No 2242. A.D. 535-536. Acquired in 1922. 29.6 cm. x 36.4 cm. Two columns, containing originally 32 and 36 or 37 lines respectively. Written along the fibres. Rather large sloping uncial hand. Diaereses and paragraphi are occasionally used. Abbreviations are frequent, being indicated usually by a wavy line either above or after the last letter written. P. Oxy. xi. 1357, with plate. Republished with commentary by H. Delehaye, *Analecta Bollandiana* xlii (1924), pp. 83-99.

Church Calendar of Oxyrhynchus, 23rd Phaophi to 26th Phamenoth.

## 234. TABLE OF LECTIONS.

Inv. No. 455 + 1849. Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1893. 26 cm. x 24.4 cm. Papyrus leaf, imperfect at the top and largely at the sides. Probably about 20 lines are missing from the top, to judge from the gap between the recto and the verso. Both papyrus and ink are of a light colour. Large thick slightly sloping uncial hand. Contractions are numerous, and generally consist of a wavy line after the last written letter. Other forms of abbreviation also occur, as the stroke through ρ in κυρι(ακη), l. 5 and elsewhere. The usual confusion between ε and αι occurs. A cross opposite l. 1 calls attention to a new day, usually marked by a paragraphus and the projection of the line into the margin. For similar indexes of lessons see Crum, nos. 144, 145. Published by H. J. M. Milne, *Journ. of Egyptian Archaeology* x (1924), pp. 278-282.

Table of Lections (Psalms, Epistle, and Gospel) for Saturday and Sunday from Quinquagesima eve to Palm Sunday.

## 235. HYMNS.

Inv. No. 873. Fifth to sixth century. Acquired in 1900. 23.5 cm. x 7.5 cm. Column of 35 lines (apparently from a roll), incomplete at the foot and perhaps at the top. Written along the fibres. Cursive hand with occasional uncial forms. Very illiterate and largely unintelligible. Phonetical errors abound.

Hymn to Christ (or the Trinity?) and the Virgin Mary.

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|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p>             ]λοσ[... ]ν ... [<br/>             [...] . . αβομεν και το[ξαζο]<br/>             [μεν .]ωθομεν της υμε[τερας]<br/>             των τρ . . ονε τρα υμαρ[<br/>             5 της νηκ . . στος υμιν τυν [ανα]<br/>             παυσιν ο σαρκοφωρισα[s και]<br/>             παθων τη υμες ο εκ της θεω<br/>             τοκου τεκτις ο θς τατετο . . .<br/>             μορφοσων εν ουσια . εκ<br/>             10 . . . . . παντων ο θε . . ν<br/>             . . . . . ερων θν ημει(s) es τρ<br/>             εις μεκαλυνατε των συν<br/>             ναρχοντα λογων υιον του θν<br/>             κυριωτητων θρονον τοξασα<br/>             15 τε το παναγιων πνευμα<br/>             και παντων ν . . ισι τρια<br/>             τα χρον . . . αμεριστων<br/>             απο παντων θν αναγκελε           </p> | <p>             τε παναγια παρθενε ανυμ<br/>             20 φεντε οι τεκουσα το λογων<br/>             εν [δ]ουλο μορφη ο αστηρ εν<br/>             εμφανερουμενευσε η πυ<br/>             μενης οροντες ενθαυμασεν<br/>             [ . . . ] . αρα το σπυλεων ετο<br/>             25 [ξασαν] . . . . . ενυ τεθau<br/>             θ]αυμα<br/>             [ . . . ] οσυγε και [ . ] . ου<br/>             [ . . . ] . φανης εβουλεν<br/>             [ . . . ] Ιωαννης εν υ(σ)τατη<br/>             30 [ . . . ] και συγγυτω ταυτα<br/>             [ . . . ] τωσε[ . ] αι ετριπ[ . . ]<br/>             [ . . . ] φ]οβερον οτι του [ . . . ]<br/>             [ . . . . ] ν ερ . πισεω [ . . . ]<br/>             [ . . . . ] . . . προ[ . . . . ]<br/>             35 [ . . . . . ] . . . τω[ . . . . . ]<br/>             . . . . .           </p> |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|

2. l. δο[ξάζομεν]. 5. l. τήν. 8. τεκ changed from τεν. 1. τεχθείς. 12. l. μεγαλύνετε τόν. 13. l. λόγον. 14. l. δοξάσατε. 16, 17. l. τριάδα? 18. l. αναγγέλλετε. 20. οι l. η. 1. τὸ(ν) λόγον. 21. l. δούλου. 22. l. οἱ ποιμένες. 24. l. σπήλαιον.

## 236. HYMNS.

Inv. No. 1029. Sixth century. Acquired in 1901. 8.8 cm. x 32.5 cm. On the recto are ten long lines in a rather rough semi-uncial hand of Coptic type. On the verso are twelve short lines in an upright cursive hand. Written across the fibres in each case. Published in *Greek Papyri*, iii, pp. 284, 285, and again

with corrected text and plate, by P. Maas in *Byz. Zeitsch.* xvii (1908), pp. 307-311, where the place of both hymns in the modern Greek Liturgy is also given.

Hymns to (a) the Trinity, (b) the Virgin.

## 237. HYMN.

Inv. No. 2037 A. Sixth to seventh century. Acquired in 1893 (but not numbered till 1913). 5.2 cm. x 19.5 cm. Written in long lines across the fibres. Sloping uncial hand of Coptic type. The common orthographic mistakes are made.

Hymn in honour of Severus of Antioch.

· · · · ·  
 και ανος ανατολοι' ονομα αυτου' ον μεγαλυνωμεν'  
 [· · τη]ν τεκουσα(ν) μακαρισωμεν' ουρανιουν  
 ταγματων' και γηγενων' πληθη των πιστων' χωρευ  
 ουσιν εν τη μνυμι του πατριαρχου' Σενηρ[ου  
 · · · · ·

1. l. *ἀνατολή*. 2. l. *οὐρανίων*. 3. l. *χορεύουσιν*. 4. l. *μνήμη*. Severus of Antioch, who was much venerated in Egypt (cf. W. E. Crum, 'Sévère d'Antioche en Égypte' in *Rev. de l'Or. Chrét.* 3 Sér. iii (1922-1923), pp. 92-104), is certainly the Patriarch meant.

## 238. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 113 (12 a). Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1878. 8.4 cm. x 12 cm. Written on both sides. Small neat uncial hand of Coptic type. Original composition with metrical accents, cf. S. G. Mercati in *Biblica*, i (1920), p. 270. A zig-zag sign of uncertain meaning occurs at the end of l. 10. Part published in *Greek Papyri*, i (1893), pp. 224, 225. A revised text is printed below. Haeblerlin 177.

Metrical Homily (?).

Recto.

Verso.

· · · · ·  
 + προς τυραννους τοιουν  
 αχθεντες. τιμωρουνται.  
 προς δε θν αφόρωντες. εν  
 δ[υ]ναμουνται. υπο τουτων

· · · · ·  
 τουτους ουν κ(αι) ημεις μιμουμε  
 νοι αντι μελων αποτομης  
 την της σαρκος αχθοφορη  
 εωμεν αγνιαν οι αγιοι

18, 19. l. *ἀχθοφορήσομεν* (Crönert).

- 5 προς θανατον απ[[ε]]ιλουνται  
 υπο δε  $\overline{\chi\upsilon}$  προς ζωνν επαγγελ  
 λονται, εκεινοι τας πόλῃ  
 τρόπους τω[ν κ]ολαστηριων  
 ποιῖνας <sup>ηνεγκαν</sup> πρ[οσ]αγουσι οί δε  
 10 αγιοι τας <sup>πλοκους</sup> πολυριζους 4  
<sup>ριζας . . . . .</sup>  
 της πιστεως ριζας εστηρι  
[ζον . ] . ποθητους  
<sup>β]ασανους</sup>  
αι]κισμοις προς  
α]γγελικον ὑμνῶ  
 15 ]ῡ . .
- 20 γαρ προς θηριων ωρμας  
 εμαχοντο ημ[ε]ις προς θυ  
 μου κρατος αγωνισομε  
 θα τοῖν σο[ . . . ]νεξ εκασ  
 τος ιερουρ[γου]μεν σαρκιον [  
 25 εν τω [τ]ης εγκρατειας [ν]ομῶ  
 τ . . . . .  
 θυσομεν τῶ[  
 αν . . . εως . [

9-13. The words underlined are crossed out in the original.  
 πολυπιζους. 20. l. ὀρμάς. 28. Perhaps the last line.

10. Changed from

### 239. AMULET.

Inv. No. 120 (3). Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1887. Nine small vellum leaves (6.8 cm. x 4.5 cm.). Written in a rough semi-uncial hand. The only punctuation consists of two small sloping strokes. The spelling is full of the usual illiterate mistakes. The first and last leaves, no doubt forming the outer covers, are written only on one side. The phrasing of the invocation to the Nile finds parallels in the series of inscriptions published by G. Lefebvre, 'La Fête du Nil à Achôris' in *Bull. Soc. Arch. d'Alexandrie*, No. 18, pp. 47-59. The word *σημασία* in particular, to mean the rise of the Nile, occurs in the last inscription, p. 55; cf. Lumbroso in *Aegyptus*, iii (1922), p. 291. With slight changes ll. 13-27 can be converted into hexameters. For a prayer at the rising of the Nile see Wessely, *Studien* xv, No. 250. No doubt an amulet.

Invocation to the Nile, followed by the Constantinopolitan Creed and Psalm cxxxii (cxxxiii).

#### I.

ση{μ}μασία  
 τοῦ ιεροτά-  
 του Νείλου

ἐλύλυθεν  
 ὕδωρ Ὁκαι-  
 ανοί εἰσιν

7. l. ἐλήλυθεν. 8, 9. l. Ὁκεανέ? = splendidly? For instances of this use see *Aegyptus*, vi (1925), p. 295 f. Or perhaps ὠκεανοί meaning 'floods'.

ση{μ}μασία  
5 . ερεοῖς τῶν  
πλουσίων

10 ποταμοὶ πα-  
ρὰ ἀνάβασιν  
κεαίτε ρ̣(ε)ί-

5, 6. Meaning uncertain. Perhaps there was no letter before ερεοῖς, or some form of ἱερόν may be meant. Cf. Lef. 13 κατὰ τὸ ἱερατικὸν σημεῖον. 12. l. χέαιτε?

2.

θροιστὶ τῶν πο-  
ταμῶν βασι  
15 λεῦ{ε} πολ-  
λοίομβρ{οι}ε  
μεγαλώνοι-  
με Νεῖλε  
ἐκ Μερῳῖς  
20 ἱλαρο[  
ἡδιστ[  
τῶ[

καὶ γῆν καρπο-  
φόρον μεθῆ-  
25 στον τοῖς <σ>οῖς  
πολλοῖς <ς> ρί-  
θροιστὶ ὅλην  
τὴν Αἴγυπ-  
τον γλυκαί-  
30 [νο]ις ὄμβρο-  
[ις β]αρυν-  
[θεῖς .] ἐτῶν

13-27. Cr. converts to hexameters: τῶν ποταμῶν βασιλεὺ πολυόμβρε (εὐ)ώνυμε Νεῖλε ἐκ Μερῳῖς ἱλαρὸς τε καὶ ἡδιστος παρὰρευσον and reads πολυρεῖθροισ in l. 26. 19. l. Μερῳῖς. 20. Cf. Lefebvre, μετὰ πάσης χαρᾶς καὶ ἱλαρίας, and l. 44 f. below. 21. ἡδὲ very uncertain. 22. πα? 23. Nile mud? Cf. Lefebvre 2, &c., σὺν τῇ καρποφόρῳ γαίῃ. μεθῆσον vulgar form of μέθες? or = μέθυσον? 26. l. ρεῖ-θροισ. 30-32. Suppl. Crönert.

3.

κα[τὰ] καιρῶν  
φαινομένων  
35 θεωρεῖται  
ὄμβρορο χρυ-  
σοῦνται κα-  
θ' ἕκαστον  
χωρεῦτε νά-  
40 μασιν χ . .

τρισιν ἀνάβαι-  
νε Νεῖλε ἱλα-  
45 ροὺς τοὺς ἐξ  
καὶ δέκα πῆ-  
χεις ἀνελ-  
Creed. θε ϣ πιστευ  
ο̣ εις ενα θ̄ν πα  
50 τερα παντο

35. l. θεωρεῖτε? 36. l. ὄμβροισ? 39. l. χορεύετε? 44-48. Cf. Pliny v. 58, 'Iustum incrementum est cubitorum xvi. Minores aquae non omnia rigant, ampliores detinent tardius recedendo . . . In xii cubitis famem sentit, in xiii etiamnum esurit, xiv cubita hilaritatem adferunt, xv securitatem, xvi delicias.' See also the statistics collected by L. Borchardt, 'Nilmesser und Nilstandsmarken' in *Abh. Berl. Ak.* 1906. 48 f. l. πιστεύω.

μβροῖς ξ . [

. . . ικεῖω[

κρατοραῖ

[πο]ιητην ου

[ρ]ανου και

41. μβρο very uncertain. Perhaps χεῖ-μάρ(ρ)οις? 42. τῷ, or πα?

4.

γῆς ορατον

55 τε παν {τον}

των και αω

ρατοονς και

εις ενα κν Ἰν

Χν τον υιοῦ

60 του θυ τον μο

νογενη{ν}ς τοῦ

εκ πρς γεν(ν)ηθεν

τα προ παντων

των αιωνων

65 φως εκ φωτος

θν αληθινον

εκ θυ αληθιν

ου γεν(ν)ηθεν

τα ου ποιηθεν

70 τα ομοουσιον

τω πρι δι ου τα

παντα εγεν

νοντο τον δι

ημας τους

75 ανθρωπους

56. τω corr. from και.  
inserted after νον.

72 f. l. εγενετο; the ∷ for punctuation has been wrongly  
inserted after νον.

5.

και δια την η

μετερα(ν) σω

τησιανς κα

τελθота ε

80 κ των ουρανω

ν και σαρκῶ

θεντα εκ πν

μς αγιου και

Μαρίας της

85 παρθενου και

ενα[νθρ]ωπη

σανταῖ σταυ

ροθεντα δε ν

περ ημων ε

90 πι Ποντιου Πι

λατου και πα

θοντα και τα

φεντα και αν

ασταντα τη

95 τριτη ημερα

κατας κρα

φας και [ανελθ]ον

77 f. l. σωτηρίαν.

96 f. l. κατὰ τὰς γραφάς.

97. ον added in small.

6.

τα εἰς τοὺς οὐ  
ρανὸν(ς) καὶ κα  
100 θεζομε{νο}νο  
ν ἐκ δεξιῶν  
τοῦ πρὸς καὶ πα  
λιν ἐρχομενος  
μετὰ δοξῆς  
105 κριναι ζοντα(ς)  
καὶ νεκρούς  
οὐ τῆς βασιλῆ

ας οὐκ ἐστε  
τέλος καὶ εἰς  
110 τὸ πᾶν τὸ ἀγί  
ον τοῦ κν καὶ (το)  
ζοποιοῦν τῶν  
ἐκ τοῦ πρὸς  
ἐκπορευομε  
115 νον τῷ συν  
πρὶ καὶ νῦν  
συνπροσκυ  
νουμενον

103. l. ἐρχόμενον. 108. l. ἔσται. 111. l. τὸ κν. 112. l. ζωοποιόν, τό. 115. l. τό.

7.

[κ]αὶ συνδοξα  
120 ζομενον τῷ  
λαλήσαν{τι}  
διὰ τοῦ πρῶ  
φύτων εἰς  
μῖαν ἀγίαν  
125 καθολικὴν  
καὶ ἀποστο  
λικὴν ἐκλυ  
σιαν ὁμολῶγω

ἐν βαπτισ  
130 μα εἰς ἀφεσιν  
ἀμαρτιῶν  
προστώκῳ α  
ναστασιν  
νεκρῶν καὶ ζο  
135 ἡν τοῦ μελ(λ)ου  
τος αἰῶνος  
ἀμην ♀

120, 121. l. τὸ λαλήσαν. Confusion arose owing to the use of τῷ in the preceding line.  
132. l. προσδοκῶ.

8.

Psalm cxxxii. 1 ♀ ἰδὺν δὲ τι  
καλὸν ἢ τι τερ  
140 πνον ἀλλ' ἢ  
τὸ κατοικεῖ  
ν ἀδελφούς  
ἐπὶ τὸ αὐτό

150 γῶνα τοῦ πο  
γῶνα τοῦ Αα  
ρων το κα  
ταβαίνουν ἐπ[ι]  
τὴν ὡάν του  
ἐνδυματο[s]

140. So N<sup>ca</sup>ART, om. ἀλλ' Sw.

149. τὸν Sw.

|     |            |     |             |
|-----|------------|-----|-------------|
| 2   | ως μυρον ε | 3   | αυτουσ ως   |
| 145 | πι κεφαλῃς | 155 | δρο{σ}σος Α |
|     | το καταβαι |     | ερμων η κα  |
|     | νον επι πο |     | ταβαινουσα  |
|     |            |     | επι τα ορη  |

145. So N<sup>ca</sup> RT, κεφαλῇν Sw.

9.

[Σι]ωνσ οτι εκει  
 160 ενετειλατο  
 κς την ευ  
 λογιαν και  
 ζων εως  
 του αιωνος  
 165 †

#### 240. Gnostic Psalm.

Inv. No. 1192. Second century. Acquired in 1903. 22.3 cm. x 29.5 cm. Portions of three columns. Written along the fibres. Rough fair-sized uncial hand alternating for stretches with a smaller variety apparently of the same hand. No accents or punctuation marks other than paragraphi. P. Fay. i. 2; *Archiv* ii, p. 357 f.; Oldfather 795. See A. Swoboda, 'Über neue Bruchstücke eines gnostischen Psalmes von Christi Höllenfahrt' in *Wiener Studien*, xxvii (1905), pp. 299-301, where it is identified with the psalm of the Naassenes, of which a part has been preserved in Hippolytus' *Refutatio* v. 10.

#### 241.

Inv. No. 1859 A. Sixth or seventh century. Numbered in 1911. 11.7 cm. x 5.7 cm. Parts of 13 lines, but only a few letters legible. Written along the fibres in light brown ink on the recto only. Large irregular uncial hand. 1. 3 πλα[; 1. 4 ιερ[ο]ν; 1. 13 εγραφ[.

#### 242.

Inv. No. 1859 C. Sixth or seventh century. Numbered in 1911. Two fragments, the larger 3 cm. x 9.1 cm. Written across the fibres in light brown ink. Large square upright uncial hand. The low point occurs once (l. 2). The back contains large cursive writing, also across the fibres, probably an account.

Fr. 1.

· · · ·  
 ε]ιληφε γε[  
 ] . ν βεβιωκεν. α[  
 · · · ·

Fr. 2.

· · · ·  
 ] . . . [  
 ] μητρας απαμβλυνα[  
 5 ] προσφω οτι υται[  
 ] πονος εως [  
 · · · ·

243.

Inv. No. 1859 D. Fifth or sixth century. Numbered in 1911. 7.5 cm. x 3.7 cm. Large irregular uncial hands, that on the verso of the papyrus being the more irregular. One high point on the recto (l. 4).

Recto.

· · · ·  
 ] τε . [  
 ] ομ . [  
 ] ε ακουσα[  
 ] τους· εντα[  
 5 ] . και απε . [  
 ] ας ις νεκρ[  
 ] θεωρου[  
 ] ημερα ανα[  
 ] τον ασεβη [  
 10 ] αυτουε . [  
 · · · ·

Verso.

· · · ·  
 ] . ε[  
 ] . η . [  
 ] ταξ[  
 ] εινου αιρ[  
 15 ] εις τα διο[  
 ] αγοντες [  
 ] την ερημ[ον  
 ] ωσπερ οι ι[  
 ] . ται αυτω[  
 20 ] δε σαρ[ .  
 ] . . [  
 · · · ·

244.

Inv. No. 2037 B. Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1893 (but not numbered till 1913). Strip of papyrus, 3 cm. x 13.8 cm. Written along the fibres. Sloping uncial hand of Coptic type. On the verso remains of a 'Byzantine' protocol.

Hymn (?).

] . σησαν του πατρος ουρανιου αγι[  
 ]σιν ιδοντες φως εσπερινον υ . [

ι. ι, ρ possible.

## 245.

Inv. No. 2037 D. Sixth century. Acquired as above. Fragment from the foot of a vellum leaf, 13.3 cm. x 6.3 cm. Upright uncial hand. φ is very large. In ll. 2, 3, and 4 a later hand has written a cross (for punctuation?). Original commas occur in ll. 2, 3. Crönert suggests a romance.

Flesh side.

Hair side, very illegible.

· · · · ·  
 ]φον ος ην  
 ]σος<sup>+</sup>, η δε ση  
 ] εστιν<sup>+</sup>, ληστης  
 ]νι<sup>+</sup> και γ[α]ρ το  
 5 λη]στικον εστ[ιν]  
 ]σα οτι ληστης  
 δε]σποτης του πα  
 η]γαγεν με ωδε  
 ]λευσα αυτον  
 10 ] . μεν επιθ[

· · · · ·  
 αιετιοικα[  
 λεγοντες . . [  
 χονες . . . . [  
 . . κ . αι . . . . [  
 15 τες υν . . . . [  
 στατω . . . . [  
 δενος . . . . [  
 . . μιν . . . [  
 .]αν . . ην σε[

## 246. MARTYRIUM (?).

Inv. No. 2077 E. Sixth century. Numbered in 1914. 4.9 cm. x 6.7 cm. Fragment from the foot of a vellum leaf. Lower margin 2.8 cm. Small uncial hand with ε and ς narrow. A line-filling sign is used in l. 9.

· · · · ·  
 ] . . [  
 [ . ]νερεισω . [  
 γνεαιαις ο . [  
 θεους ουκ οιδ[  
 5 ο στρατηγ[

5. στρατηγ[ατης, Hunt.

· · · · ·  
 ] . . . [  
 ]λουν . [  
 ] . . . . αμνε  
 ]νιον υπην·  
 10 τ]ω στρατηγω

9, 10. υπη[τησεν, Cr.

## 247. LITURGICAL PIECE.

Inv. No. 113 (12 c). Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1878. Two fragments, the larger 9·6 cm. x 8·2 cm., both from the same leaf. Sloping uncial hand of rather Coptic type. The text was evidently arranged in sections or stanzas, longer than *στίχοι*, a blank being left at the end of the last line of each and the first line of each projecting into the margin. Printed in *Greek Papyri*, i. (1893), p. 226 f., with plate. A revised text is printed below.

Hymn (?).

| Recto.     |                                                                                                                                                       | Verso.      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (a)        | ιστατο ο χ[ $\bar{s}$ ?<br>θεωρ[<br>περι ο[<br>ησεν[<br>5 πετε[<br>ελεγε[<br>με ει[<br>και υ[<br>θεις [<br>10 ερειτε [<br>σημερον [<br>σεσθ[<br>αικα[ | (a)         | 25 ]αι παν<br>] . ον φρο<br>]δους αυτω<br>] . . ε . σειρας<br>] ονοματος<br>30 ] . επελαθετο<br>π]αρα των θν<br>]ατι . λλην τι<br>] παρ ελπιδας<br>] εν τω νοιν<br>35 ] τω κω ημων<br>]δη και ο κς<br>]ησασθαι<br>]ν τας σε θλι |
| (b)        | 15 εις τ[<br>δισσα[<br>μεκα[<br>εδοξ[<br>εδοκεν [<br>προ[<br>20 αμι[<br>ιδω[<br>μη ο[                                                                 | (b)         | 40 ]μεμαμηση<br>]ται υιος ο ποιω<br>] blank<br>τ]ην πασαν<br>]ασθεισαν εβοα<br>]νοι μου οι δε<br>45 ]ενοι τα βηματα<br>] επειτα και                                                                                             |
| 1. Or ου[. | 18. l. εδωκεν.                                                                                                                                        | 31. l. τόν. | 34. l. νύν. 36. Perhaps επει]δής.                                                                                                                                                                                               |

την [  
ηλθο[ν

τ]ας οψεις  
? οπω]ς ιδω τουτον  
ταν  
]κα . . . ε . . .

## 248. LITURGY (?).

Inv. No. 113 (14 c). Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1878. 12.4 cm. x 12.6 cm. Fragment from the top of a sheet (two leaves) of a papyrus codex. Part of four columns preserved. Top margin 4.7 cm. Rather large upright uncial hand. Almost illegible owing to bad surface, faded ink, and set-offs. Col. i. 1 αδε]λφοι ινα, 6 ] ιερων. Then perhaps a line left blank followed by a text, slightly indented and written smaller, the first line of which ends ? ανα]φορά (a rubric ?).

## 249. PRAYER.

Inv. No. 462. Sixth or seventh century. Acquired in 1894. 18 cm. x 8 cm. Imperfect at top and right side. Parts of 19 lines preserved. Written along the fibres in a negligent uncial hand of Coptic type.

. . . . .  
νης ἐμ . [  
κὲ ἐτῶν [  
τία λεχ[. . .] . [  
θ(ε)ῶ λεγου[. . .] κεσ . [  
5 ἐν ἀν(θρώπ)οις [. . .] δογῇ  
εἰρήνην ἧς ἐμὲ [. . .] ἁμαρ-]  
τίας ἡμῶν παντὸς [  
μοῦ λιτ[.]ματος ἱγ[  
πάσης κακίας κὲ [  
10 τῆς θανατιφόρου [ἁμαρτί-]  
ας κὲ καταξίωσον [κατὰ τέ-]  
λος ἀσπάσασθε ἐμ[ἐ ἐν πν(εύματ)ι]

2. l. καὶ, so too in 9, 11, 17.  
changed from something else.  
if right, written πνι.

4, 5. MS.  $\overline{\theta\omega}$ ,  $\overline{\alpha\nu\omega\varsigma}$ .  
10. l. θανατηφόρου.

8. μα, bad letters, obviously  
12. l. ἀσπάσασθαι. πνεύματι,

ἀγίῳ εἰς τὸ μετασ[χεῖν εὐχα-]  
 ρίτως τῆς ἀθανασ[ίας τῆς οὐρα-]  
 15 νίου σοῦ δωρεᾶς παν[  
 καλέσε ἐπὶ τὴν οὐρ[άνιον σοῦ κα-]  
 ταγωγίαν κὲ κατ[αξίωσον τῆς]  
 ανατος σοῦ βασιλείας [κὲ τοῦ μονο-]  
 γενου σοῦ +

14. ἀθανάτ[ον just possible. κὲ αἰω]νίου suppl. Cr. 16. l. καλέσαι. 16, 17.  
 l. τὸ καταγώγιον? 18. ἀθ-]άνατος? but it is unusual in this MS. to end a line with a con-  
 sonant in the middle of a word between two vowels. Perhaps simply a mistake for  
 ἀ(θά)νατος i.e. ἀθανάτου. l. βασιλείας. 19. μονο-]γενοῦ for μονο-]γενοῦς?

## APPENDIX

### 250. *Iliad*, Book XI.

Inv. No. 1191. Second century. Acquired in 1903. Two fragments, the larger 17·8 cm. x 10·3 cm. Remains of 2 columns, no line complete. Small neat round uncial hand. The middle stop is used. Occasional accents and elision marks. New readings occur in 563, 595. Opposite 602 stands the critical sign ÷. P. Oxy. iii. 550; p<sup>26</sup> in Allen. Omitted by oversight from its proper place.

*Iliad* xi. 505-516, 521-547 endings; 555-567, 572-602 earlier parts.

### 251. *Iliad*, Book XII.

Inv. No. 2722 A. Second century B.C. Acquired in 1925 (too late for insertion in the proper place). Three fragments, the largest 9·3 cm. x 3 cm. No line complete. Number of lines to the column uncertain, perhaps about 24, seeing that ll. 128 and 176 each head a column. Written along the fibres in a small rather compressed hand of Ptolemaic type. No punctuation. The text is interesting, and deviates considerably from the vulgate, exhibiting in its small compass both omissions and expansions. (Cf. Nos. 16, 21.) Smaller textual discrepancies also occur.

*Iliad* xii. 128-140, 176-191, 249-263.

| Fr. 1.                |                                                                        | Fr. 2.                                  |                                    |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 128                   | αιχμ]ηταων<br>]κοποιτην                                                | 176                                     | ]παντ αγορε[υσαι]<br>θε]σπιδας πυρ |
| 130                   | Αρ]ηι<br>υψηλ]ων<br>υψικαρη]νοι<br>ηματ]α παντα<br>αραρνι]αι<br>βιηφ]ι | 179                                     | ]ηπερ αναγκη [<br>]ατο θυμον       |
|                       |                                                                        | 179 <sup>a</sup>                        | ]κηδε δ Αχαιους                    |
|                       |                                                                        | 181                                     | κα]ι δημοτητα                      |
|                       |                                                                        |                                         | Πολ]υποιτης                        |
|                       |                                                                        | 183                                     | ]χαλκοπαρηου                       |
| 129. MSS. Πολυποίτην. |                                                                        | 178. MSS. ἄχνημενοί περ.                |                                    |
| ing 180.              |                                                                        | 179 <sup>a</sup> . A new line supplant- |                                    |

|     |          |                  |                       |
|-----|----------|------------------|-----------------------|
| 136 | φ]εβοντο | 183 <sup>a</sup> | ] περιησεν            |
|     | ]        | 188              | οζο]s Αρηος           |
|     | ]μα . α[ | 188 <sup>a</sup> | ]τερην υρζμινη[ν]     |
|     | ] . [    | 188 <sup>b</sup> | ] πλε[υ]μονι χαλκ[ος] |
| .   | .        | 188 <sup>c</sup> | τ]ευχε επ αυτωι       |
| .   | .        | 190              | ξι]φος οζυ            |
| .   | .        | 190 <sup>a</sup> | αλ]λο                 |
| .   | .        | 191              | ] δι ομιλου           |
| .   | .        | 191 <sup>a</sup> | ]λυσε[                |
| .   | .        | 191 <sup>b</sup> | ] . . [               |

136. The lines following appear to differ from the usual text. 183<sup>a</sup>. A new line.  
 184-187. Omitted. 188<sup>a-c</sup>. Three inserted lines. 1. κρατερην υσμίνην, πνέμονι χαλκός  
 (Il. iv. 528). υρζμίνη = υρσμίνη perhaps connected with Ύρμίνη (Il. ii. 616) a city of  
 Elis (Cr.). τεύχε' ἐπ' αὐτῷ = Il. iv. 504, &c. 189. Omitted. 190<sup>a</sup>. Inserted.  
 191<sup>a</sup>, 191<sup>b</sup>. Apparently insertions.

## Fr. 3.

|                  |                 |                   |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| .                | .               | του περ δ[η       |
| .                | .               | ρηξασθα[ι         |
| .                | .               | κροσσας μ[εν      |
| 250              | αιψα κ εμ[ωι    | στηλας τ[ε        |
| 250 <sup>a</sup> | αλλ επ[         | 260 πρωτας ε[ν    |
| 251              | ως αρα[         | τας οι γ αυ[ερνον |
|                  | ηχηθ[ι εσπεσινη | ρηξειν ου[        |
|                  | ] . ν ωρσεν [   | αλ[λ] οι γ[ε      |
|                  | ]ν η δε κ[      | .                 |
| 255              | θυμον α[        | .                 |

250. MSS. αὐτίκ' ἐμῷ. 250<sup>a</sup>. Inserted. Second λ changed from α. 254, 255.  
 Apparently new lines supplanting the MSS. tradition. 257. MSS. ῥήγνυσθαι.

## 252. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 2722 B. Second century B. C. Acquired in 1925. Used for backing  
 No. 251. Two fragments, the larger 9 cm. x 3.2 cm. Written along the fibres  
 in a rather large hand of Ptolemaic type.

Epic fragment.

| Fr. 1.            | Fr. 2.          |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| [γεσ . [          | ]γενεας [       |
| ]σοι μοιρ[        | ]ενσεν . [      |
| ]ους τοι . [      | 15 ]σοτα[       |
| ]ερον φι[         | ]σορναε[        |
| 5 ]ν ορμησει[τε   | ] . λων . [     |
| ] σωσατε . [      | ]ετανει[        |
| ]τοις εφα[        | χ]αλεποισιν     |
| υ]ψι πετα[σσας ?] | 20 ]τρωησ ω[    |
| ] . ληγον[        | ]ν γαιαν [      |
| 10 ]εσοντε[       | ] . στεγε[      |
| ]ορευε[           | ]παιδε . [      |
| ] . [             | Foot of column? |

4. ι, ρ possible.  
this form first in Theognis (Cr.).

13. γ, τ possible.

18. M]ετάνει[ρα, Cr.

20. i.e. πα]τρώης:

### 253. MENANDER.

Inv. No. Add. MS. 34186 (1). Second century. Acquired in 1892. 17·8 cm. × 26 cm., including raised edge (waxed portion 12·8 cm. × 21·1 cm.). First leaf of a waxed diptych, a school-boy's exercise book. Two lines in a large rounded upright uncial hand, written on a ruled line by the master, twice copied between ruled lines, in a clumsier, uncertain hand, by the pupil. No accents or punctuation marks. The other leaf contains a multiplication table and a list of words. Published by Kenyon, *Journ. Hell. Stud.* xxix (1909), p. 39, and repeated by E. Ziebarth, *Aus der antiken Schule (Kleine Texte, 65)*, 2nd ed., no. 11, p. 6. Oldfather 874. Overlooked at the proper place in the Catalogue.

Monostich 476 (Meineke) and unknown line.

σοφοῦ παρ' ἀνδρὸς προσδέχου συμβουλίαν.  
μὴ πᾶσιν εἰκῇ τοῖς φίλοις πιστεύεται.

ΟΦΟΥΠΑΡΑΝΔΡΟΣΠΡΟΣΛΕΧΟΥΣΥΜΒΟΥΛΙΑΝ  
ΜΗΤΑCΙΝΕΙΚΗΤΟΙCΦΙΛΟΙCΠΙCΤΕΥΕΤΑΙ

5 ΟΦΟΥΠΑΡΑΝΔΡΟΣΠΡΟΣΔΕΧΟΥCΥΜΒΟΥΛΙΑΝ  
ΜΗΤΑCΙΝΕΙΚΗΤΟΙCΦΙΛΟΙCΠΙCΙΕΥΘΑΙ

1. ἐκδέχου Μ.

2. 1. πιστεύετε.

## 254. UNKNOWN.

Inv. No. 488 B (in frame 3). Third century B.C. Acquired in 1895. 3.3 cm. × 3.7 cm. Scrap containing the beginnings of 4 iambic lines. Written along the fibres in a typical early hand. Included among the fragments of the *Phaedo* (No. 145). Being verse it should have appeared in section A.

Fragment of the Old Comedy (?).

Traces of 1 line.

θεωμένω[

ὄταν π[

ὦ Ἡράκλ[εις

5 πεπληξ[

. . . . .

255. ISOCRATES, *Ad Demonicum*.

Inv. No. 230 (verso). Third to fourth century. Acquired in 1893. 25.7 cm. × 24.5 cm. Two columns, the first of 25 lines imperfect on left, the second (and final) of 6 lines imperfect on right, followed by large blank space. Written across the fibres in an ungainly uncial hand of medium size. Each syllable is spaced and marked off with a medial dot (high dot twice in ll. 2, 4) not always preserved. Meant for reading or, as Crönert suggests, shorthand exercise. Cf. A. Mentz, 'Die hellenistische Tachygraphie' in *Archiv* viii. 34-59. The Psalms on the recto (No. 207) have had a system of dots added for the same purpose. The text corresponds in the main to Isocrates, *Ad Demonicum* 26-28, but great liberties have been taken as well as many mistakes committed. Perhaps dictated or written from memory, which might explain the intrusion of echoes from different parts of the work. Drerup's text (1906) is printed below for comparison. Identified too late for insertion in the Rhetorical section. Oldfather 1149.

*Ad Dem.* 26-28 (Reading Exercise?).

Col. i.

] . . ντας αλ̣ λα̣ και̣ τους̣

[ε̣πι̣ . τοις̣ . αγ̣]α̣.θοις̣ μ[η̣] φ̣θο̣.νουν̣.τας̣

[πολ̣.λοι̣ . γαρ̣ .] α̣.τυ̣.χου̣.σι̣ μεν̣ . συ̣.να̣.χ̣θον̣.

1. Traces resemble ου̣, hardly δυσ̣χε̣ραι̣ν]ο̣ντας̣.

- [ται . κα·λως] δε πρατ·τον·των . α·πον·  
 5 [των . φι·λω]ν . μνη·μο·νευ·ου·σιν . προ·  
 [ς . τους . παρ]ον·τας . ει·να . δο·κης . ορε·  
 [γε·σθαι . τη]ς κα·λο·κα·γαθι·ας . μηδε  
 [του·των . α·πον]των . ο·λι·γω·ριν . ει·ναι . βου·  
 [λου . τα . περι] την . αι·σθη·τα . φι·λο·πο·  
 10 [νος . αλ·λα μη] καλ'λω·πιστης εστι .  
 [δε . φι·λο·κα·λ]ον μεν το με·γα·λο·  
 [πρε·πες καλ·]λω π[ισ·του] . δε .  
 [το . πε·ρι·ερ·γ]ον . α·[γα·πα . τω]ν  
 [υ·παρ·χον·τ]ων α·[γα·θων . μη . τη]ν  
 15 [υ·περ·βαλ·λ]ου σαν [κτη·σιν]  
 [αλ·λα . την] με τρι [αν . απο·λαν]  
 [σιν . κα·τα·φρο·νει . των]  
 [περι . τ]ον πλ·ον τ·ον σπου  
 [δα·ζον·των . μ]ην χρη σθαι δε τοις  
 20 [υ·παρ·χου·σιν] μη . δυ·να με·νον  
 [πα·ρα·πλ]η·σι·ον . γαρ . οι . τοι·ου·τοι  
 [πα·σχου·σι]ν . ωσ·περ . [τ]ον . ἵππον  
 [κτη·σαι·τ]ο τις . κα·λον . κα·κος . ἵππευς  
 [μη . επι·στα]με·νον . πι·ρω . τον . πλουτον  
 25 [χρη·μα·]τα . και . κτη·μα·τα

4, 5. Hopeless confusion. 6. l. ἴνα. ὀρέγεσθαι τῆς καλοκαγαθίας from *Ad Dem.*  
 51? 9. l. ἐσθῆτα. φιλόσο[φος], a recollection of *Ad Dem.* 40? 10. A small stroke  
 for the usual dot. 12-19. Supplements very uncertain owing to bad surface. 20. l.  
 δυναμένων. 22-24. Bad corruption.

## Col. ii.

κατα σκευ αζιν . εσ·τιν [δε χρη·μα·τα]  
 απο·λαν·ειν . βου·λο·με·ν[οις]  
 τοις . δε παι·διας αν·τι πο[ι·ου·με·νοις]  
 αγι . την . των . χρη·μα·των [

26, 27. The text begins to deviate again. 28. l. παιδείας. The phrase occurs in  
*Ad Dem.* 2. 29. l. ἄγει.

30 λον δε και . δο·ξαν . και . μ . [  
 τα πλου·τους . νι·γον αν[  
 End of MS.

29-31. δόξα and χρήματα occur in *Ad Dem.* 49, but there is no close correspondence.

Drerup. ἀποδέχου τῶν ἐταίρων μὴ μόνον τοὺς ἐπὶ τοῖς κακοῖς δυσχεραίνοντας, ἀλλὰ καὶ τοὺς ἐπὶ τοῖς ἀγαθοῖς μὴ φθονοῦντας· πολλοὶ γὰρ ἀτυχοῦσιν μὲν συνάχθονται, καλῶς δὲ πράττουσι φθονοῦσιν. τῶν ἀπόντων φίλων μέμνησο πρὸς τοὺς παρόντας, ἵνα δοκῇς μηδὲ τούτων ἀπόντων ὀλιγωρεῖν. εἶναι βούλου τὰ περὶ τὴν ἐσθῆτα φιλόκαλος ἀλλὰ μὴ καλλωπιστής. ἔστι δὲ φιλοκάλου μὲν τὸ μεγαλοπρεπές, καλλωπιστοῦ δὲ τὸ περιέργον. ἀγάπα τῶν ὑπαρχόντων ἀγαθῶν μὴ τὴν ὑπερβάλλουσαν κτήσιν ἀλλὰ τὴν μετρίαν ἀπόλαυσιν. καταφρόνει τῶν περὶ τὸν πλοῦτον σπουδαζόντων μὲν, χρῆσθαι δὲ τοῖς ὑπάρχουσιν μὴ δυναμένων· παραπλήσιον γὰρ οἱ τοιοῦτοι πάσχουσιν, ὥσπερ ἂν εἴ τις ἵππον κτήσαιο καλὸν κακῶς ἱππεύειν ἐπιστάμενος. πειρῶ τὸν πλοῦτον χρήματα καὶ κτήματα κατασκευάζειν· ἔστι δὲ χρήματα μὲν τοῖς ἀπολαύειν ἐπισταμένοις, κτήματα δὲ τοῖς κτᾶσθαι δυναμένοις.

## 256. UNCERTAIN.

Inv. No. 1862 G. Second century. 7 cm. x 7 cm. 12 lines. Written along the fibres. Medium-sized semi-cursive hand. Probably rather a report or petition (unfinished or a draft?) than a literary work (cf. the vulgar ἔφυγαν in l. 9), and therefore relegated to the Appendix.

. . . . . ν ἐβαλ[  
 [. . . τῇ]ν χρίαν τ[αύ]την  
 [. . . . .]ις αὐτὸν εἶναι νε-  
 [ανίσ]κ[ο]ν γενάμ[ενο]ν μό-  
 5 [λ]ις εἴκοσι ἔ[τ]ῶν καὶ ἀγει  
 [ὄ]λως δοκοῦντες εἶναι  
 νεανίσκους οὐκ ἴσχυσαν  
 ἀποφυγεῖν τοῦ[ς] κ[α]μάτων  
 [κ]αὶ ἔφυγαν τρίσχοινον γὰρ  
 10 καὶ τετράσχοινον ποιοῦσι  
 τρέχοντες τῇ θ . . ξα καὶ ἐκ-  
 πλήσσουντες. End of column.

2. l. χρίαν = corvée, cf. 8. καμάτων. 3, 4. Perhaps νε-[αν]ί[α]ν suits the space better. 4. γενάμενον, vulgar form. 5. l. αἰεὶ?

257.

Inv. No. 1109 C. Second century. Acquired in 1901. Scrap (3.5 cm. x 3.5 cm.) written along the fibres in a small rounded uncial hand.

Hexameters?

. . . . .  
 ]τεκ . [  
 ] . . . [  
 ] . διδαχ[  
 ] . οσι τοι με[  
 τα]υτα γε τοι τελ . [  
 . . . . .

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| 687      | 9    |                |      |

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| 3       | 180  | 7       | 31   |

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| 6       | 89      |         |      |

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| ii. 1     | 80   | 8 (a)     | 49   |
| 2         | 16   | 8 (b)     | 91   |
| 3         | 10   | 12        | 86   |
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| "          | 254    | 10         | 137      |
| i. 1 and 2 | 70     | 25 (1)     | 191      |
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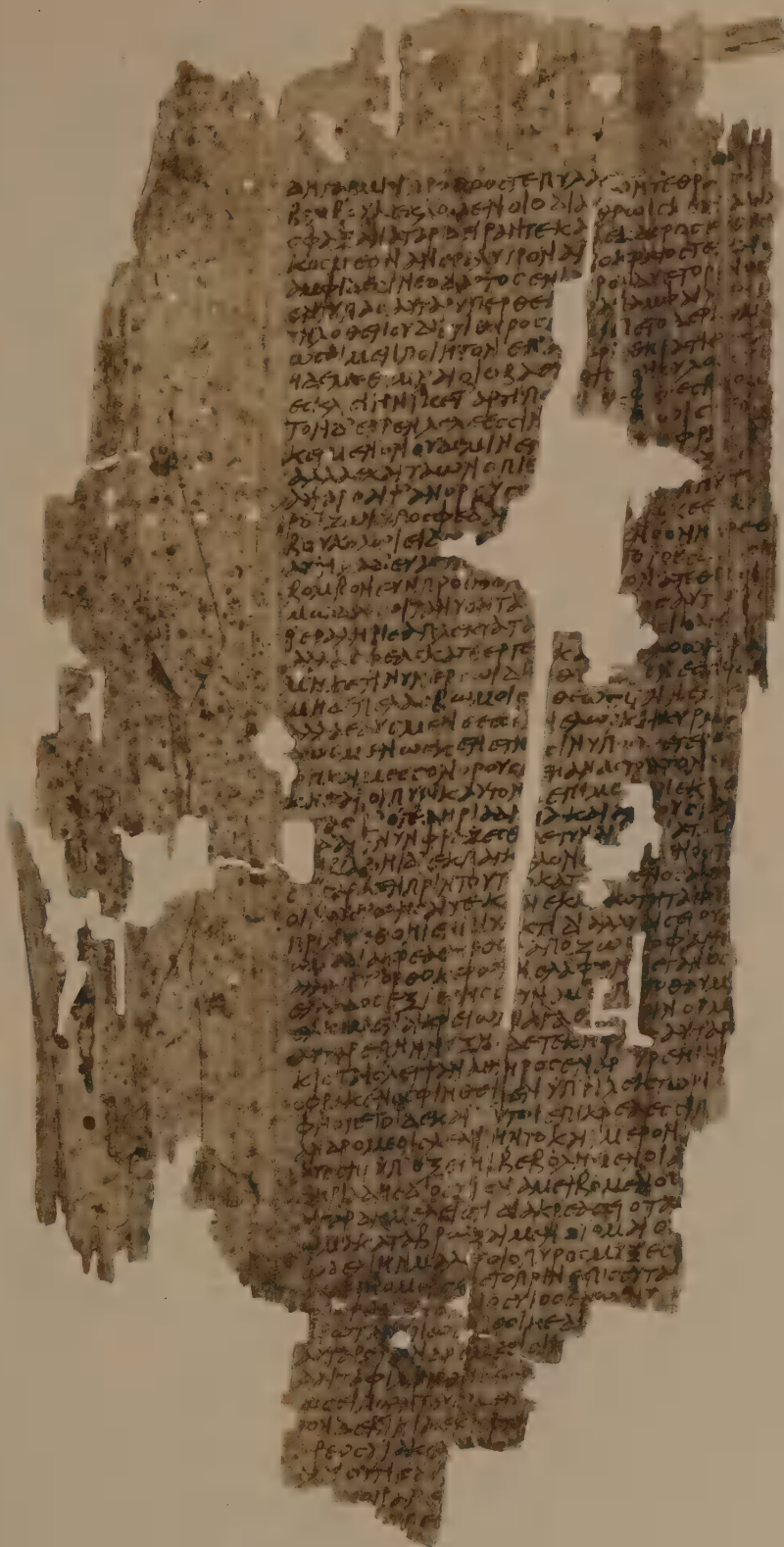


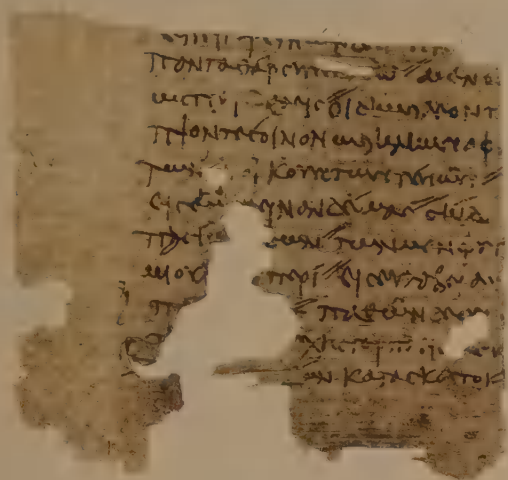
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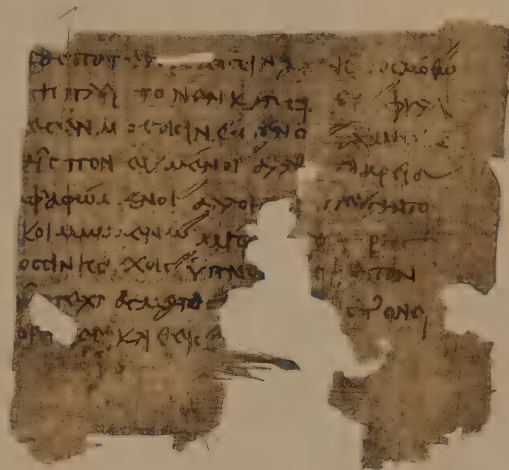








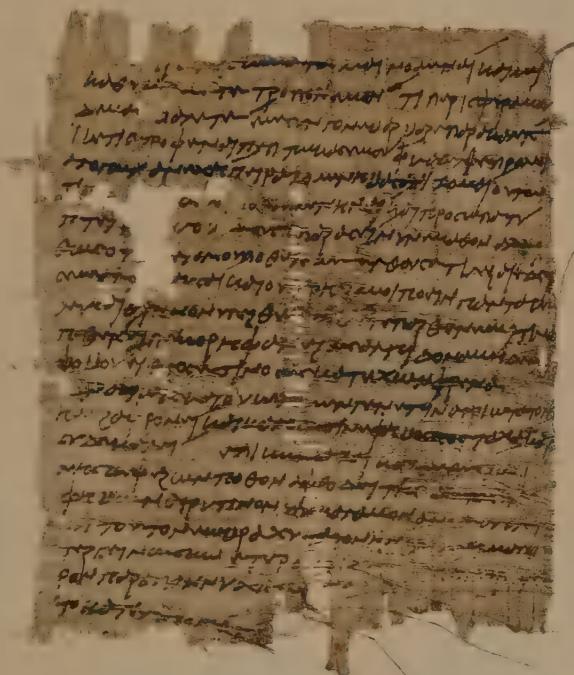
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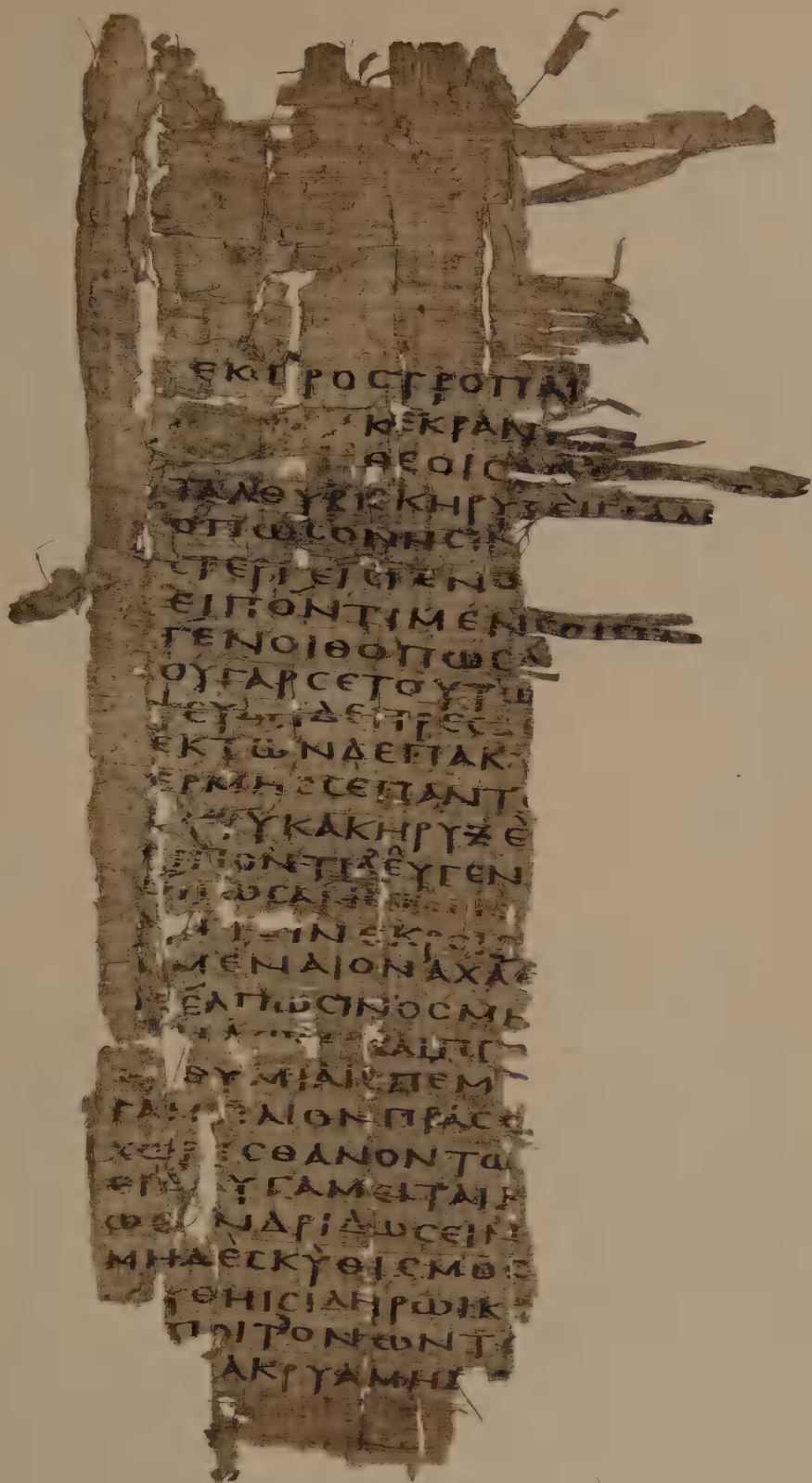


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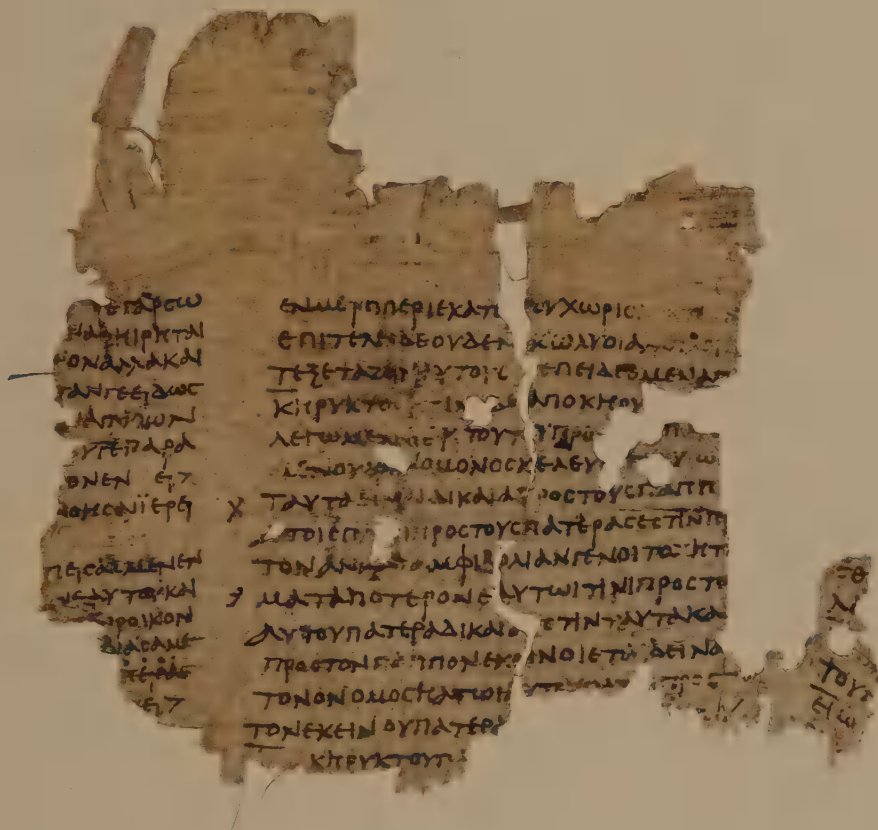


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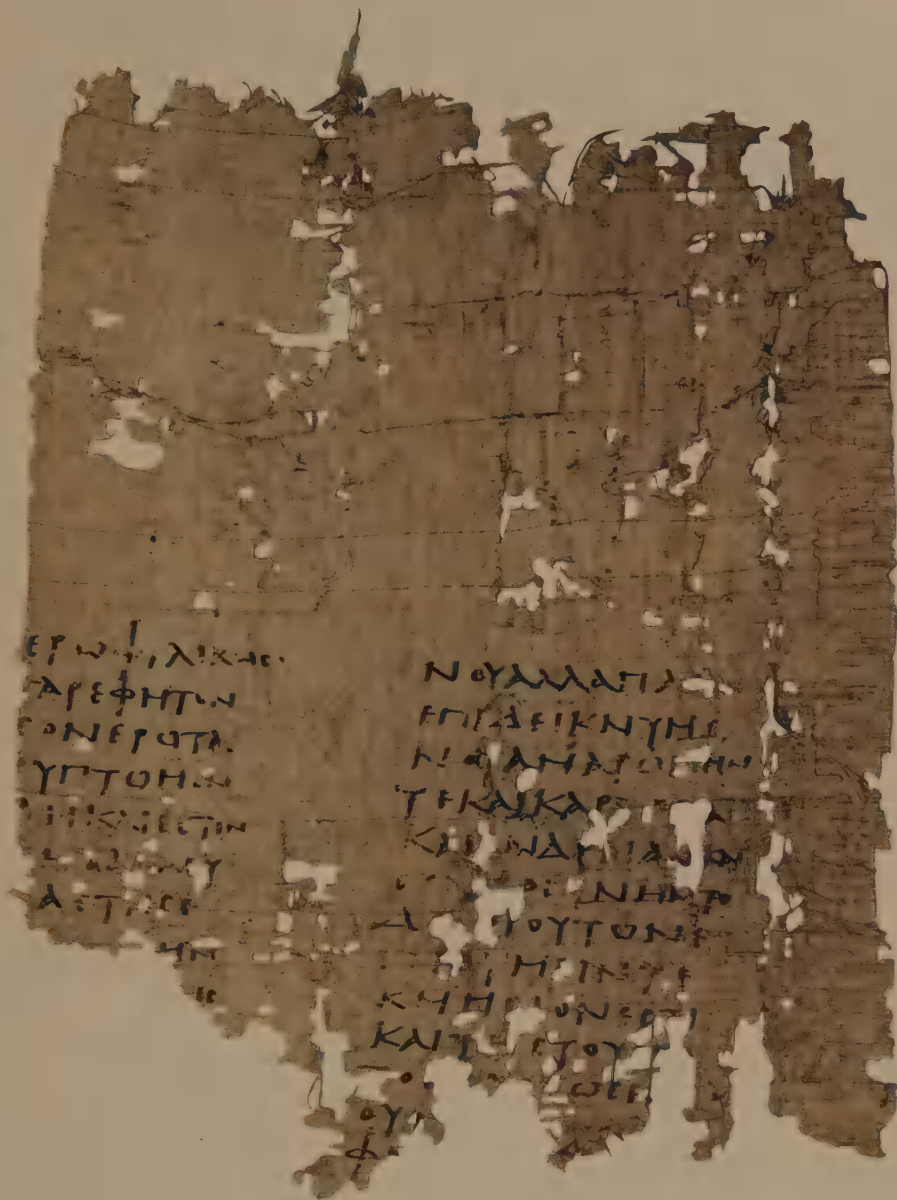


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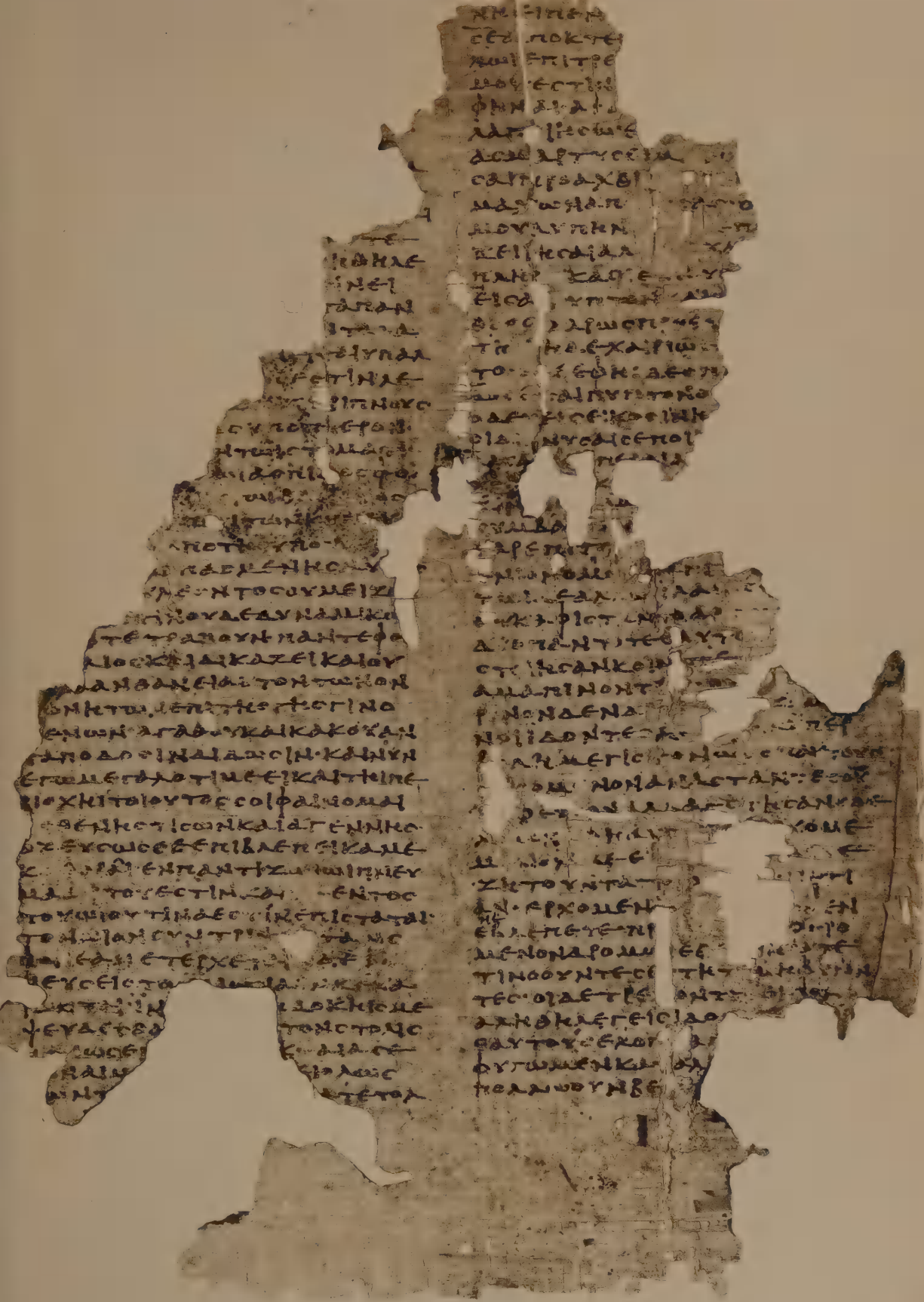


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